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WHOLE STATE IS BOWED IN GRIEF

People Greatly Shocked Over Charles B. Aycock's Untimely Death

THE FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS

Remains Shipped From Birmingham to Raleigh to Lie in State—The Funeral Will be Held Sunday Afternoon.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 5.—The people of Raleigh and all the State are shocked and grief-stricken today at the sudden death of ex-Governor Charles Brantley Aycock, which occurred last night at Birmingham, Ala., while the beloved North Carolina statesman was addressing an immense audience on "Education," a theme so near to his heart and emblematic of so much of his great achievement as the "Educational Governor."

The remains were embalmed in Birmingham this morning, and are being sent to Raleigh so as to arrive either on the 11:35 Seaboard Air Line train Saturday morning, or the 12:30 Southern train Saturday afternoon. There is to be a special delegation of State officers and citizens at the station to receive the remains and accompany them to the Aycock residence, where they will remain in the privacy of the family circle until 6 P. M. Then they will be conveyed to the State House and placed in state to be viewed by the people and to await the funeral service Sunday afternoon. The funeral arrangements are not perfected. There are many asking that the service be held from the big auditorium in which he was to have opened his campaign for the United States Senate April 12th. But many others are insisting that it should be a church funeral, even though not nearly so many people could have access to the service. If a church funeral, it will be in the First Baptist church, where his membership has been since he came from Goldsboro to Raleigh to practice his profession in 1906. Arrangements are being made for a special train by the Norfolk Southern Sunday afternoon to bring people from Wilson and beyond for the funeral. Indications are that the funeral will be at 3 P. M. Sunday.

A number of intimate friends of the family and 20 or more members of the Raleigh bar will go at 8:40 tomorrow morning to Sanford, to meet the remains and be special escort for the remainder of the trip. The Raleigh Bar Association this afternoon named a committee composed of Col. Jno. W. Hinsdale, Walter Watson, W. B. Snow, B. C. Beckwith and Walter Clark, Jr., to prepare suitable resolutions to be adopted later.

Details for the remains of North Carolina's distinguished and beloved statesman to lie in state are being worked out by Adjutant General Leinster and others, a military guard to be one of the features. The present arrangement is for the funeral to be from the First Baptist Church, however, many are urging that the service be from the big auditorium on account of the greater accommodations for throngs of people who are coming from every section of the State. The Norfolk Southern Railroad will have a special to start from Washington, N. C., at 9:30 A. M. Sunday, arriving at Raleigh at 1:30 and returning leave at 6:30 o'clock.

It is possible that the plea that the funeral be from the auditorium will be pressed to the extent of changing from the church, despite insistance that some are making that the church is the place for the funeral without regard to the accommodation of the crowds.

The State House was draped in mourning today and the State and National flags are at half mast.

It was in the wee sma' hours today that Dr. Albert Anderson, brother-in-law of Governor Aycock, went to the Aycock residence after consultation with State officers and other close friends of the family, to break the terrible news of the death to Mrs. Aycock and others of the family. Governor Aycock was twice married, first to Miss Varina Woodard and next to Miss Cora Woodard, daughters of Elder William Woodard, of Wilson. There are eight children. Alice V., William B., Connor W., Mary, John, Louise, Brantley and Frank D. Aycock. Arrangements have been under way for some time for the marriage of Miss Alice to Editor Clarence H. Poe, of the Progressive Farmer, at an early date.

Not in many years have the people of Raleigh and the whole State been so deeply stirred by a death. There had been considered to be such decided improvement in Governor Aycock's health for several months past and he has of late been so bouyant and confident of his physical ability, that the impression really prevailed that he was getting back his old-time power and would really be in position to make a record campaign in his contest for the United States Senate. This campaign was to open in the big auditorium here on the night of April 12th. Special trains were being arranged for from a number of points to bring the crowds from nearby towns. Hundreds of people were coming from his home

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CONFERENCE FOR EDUCATION

Sessions Closed With Addresses on "Civic Patriotism" by S. C. Mitchell—Tribute Paid to Ex-Governor Aycock.

Nashville, Tenn., April 5.—"Civic Patriotism" was the subject of a notable address delivered by President S. C. Mitchell, of the University of South Carolina, at the closing general session of the Conference for Education in the South tonight. The address opened with a tribute to former Governor Charles B. Aycock, of North Carolina, who died yesterday in Birmingham, while addressing Alabama teachers on "Universal Education." President Mitchell said Governor Aycock stood for all the things the Conference for Education in the South stands for and was pioneer in the movement to help the average man help himself and thus elevate the entire population.

Continuing, he asserted that the government is rapidly becoming socialized in the United States and democracy is no longer regarded as the kicking out of kings, but is now regarded as the co-operation of all the people in mutual healthfulness.

He commended the drainage movement, the tomato clubs, the corn club, the sanitation movements, the pure food movement and pointed to them as mere foretastes of the social effort which will be made in the future.

President Mitchell declared that civic patriotism is now reaching the duties of the State as well as the rights of the States.

In conclusion President Mitchell said: "The true foe of States' rights is the demagogue who prevents the State from fulfilling its duties in the compulsory education of the child, in promoting the cause of public health, in carrying out wide schemes of drainage; in promotion of better farming, and the building of good roads and the inspection of factories in the interest of childhood and womanhood."

A notable round table conference this afternoon was on rural schools of the South. State Supervisor W. K. Tate, of South Carolina, presided, and supervisors of three States, and B. F. Dressler, chief of the school sanitation division of the Bureau of Education participated. The theme of the morning session of the conference also was rural schools.

The work of the school improvement leagues was forcibly presented by Miss Susie V. Powell, of Mississippi, president of the Inter-State league.

Southern schools, which pose as colleges for women, but really are not colleges at all, were attacked before the Southern Association of College Women this afternoon by Miss Elizabeth Avery Colton, chairman of the committee on standard of colleges.

She declared that out of the 141 colleges for women in the South, hardly one-fifth are giving any standard college courses. Only four colleges for women in the South have been recognized by the Association of Colleges of the Southern States and only six others are included by the specialist in higher education in either the third or fourth class.

Robert C. Ogden was re-elected president of the Conference for Education in the South tonight. Walter H. Page, of New York, was elected vice president to succeed Wickliffe Rose, of Washington. William A. Blair was re-elected treasurer. P. P. Claxton, executive secretary, resigned because of his many duties as United States Commissioner of Education, and the executive committee was authorized to select a successor, whose name will not be announced for several weeks. The executive committee was re-elected and is as follows:

Clarence Poe, North Carolina; Harry Hodgson, Georgia; A. P. Bousland, Washington, D. C.; George J. Ramsey, Kentucky; J. H. Kirkland, Tennessee; J. H. Tinemon, Arkansas; J. Y. Joyner, North Carolina; J. B. Aswell, Louisiana; P. H. B. Frissell, of Virginia; H. W. Laird, Alabama; S. C. Mitchell, South Carolina; S. P. Brooks, Texas; A. A. Murphree, Florida; Joe Cook, Mississippi.

Among the speakers on the programme tonight were: W. D. Weatherford, of the National Committee of the Y. M. C. A.; Lawrence Abbott and Dr. Oswald Garrison Villard, of New York, all of whom spoke on "The Education of the Negro in the South."

TO TAKE UP STEEL BILL

Senate Will Begin Consideration at Earliest Possible Moment

Washington, April 5.—An agreement to take up the House iron and steel tariff bill by week after next was reached in the Senate today. Senator Penrose presented the Finance Committee's adverse report on the bill and in response to questions he and Senator Simmons, speaking for both the majority and minority, said they would co-operate to begin the consideration of the measure at the earliest possible day. Senator Simmons said the Democratic members of the Finance Committee would file the minority report.

The bill is denounced as ill-advised and unfortunate in the adverse report.

It is declared that the enactment of the bill would reduce protection below the margin of safety and tend to destroy one of the most important industries of this country. The committee contends that hearings of 245 industrial concerns of 18 States showed a widespread opposition to the revision of the present rates and that representatives of 225 manufacturers of machine tools testified that putting machine tools on the free list would compel the closing of their factories.

Among numerous other reasons given by the committee for its opposition to the Democratic bill, is cited, the absence of a report from the Tariff Board on metals.

TEDDY PREPARING ILLINOIS ADDRESS

Speech Will Have a Material Bearing on Outcome of Campaign

MAKES SEVERAL SHORT TALKS

The Former President Intended Spending the Day in Quiet But Spoke To A Few Insistent Audiences

Pittsburgh, April 5.—On his way to Chicago to throw himself into the fight for the Illinois delegation to the Republican National Convention, Colonel Roosevelt passed through Pittsburgh tonight on his train one hour and a half late. He is scheduled to arrive in Chicago at 8:15 o'clock tomorrow morning. The colonel spent most of the day in preparing the speech which he is to deliver at Springfield, Ill., tomorrow night. This is to be the principal speech of his campaign in Illinois, the result of which, it is expected, will have a material bearing upon the outcome of the campaign.

Only one speech of any length was on Colonel Roosevelt's programme for today. It was at Martinsburg, W. Va., where Mr. Roosevelt arrived at noon from Parkersburg, W. Va. A large crowd in the public square heard the former President's appeal for support at the county convention to be held tomorrow in Martinsburg.

During the run from Parkersburg the train was held up for two hours by an accident to a train ahead, which had made the track unsafe. The engineer of the train to which the Roosevelt car was attached observed the condition of the track, and held the train until temporary repairs were made.

It was Colonel Roosevelt's intention to rest as much as possible today and make no speeches from the train, but at a few points the crowds at the station were so insistent that he spoke for a few minutes. His first speech of this nature was at Keyser. At Cumberland, Md., he made a speech on the way to Martinsburg, and again, a few hours later, when he passed through on the returdn trip. At Connellsville, Pa., McKeesport and Braddock large crowds were waiting for him.

"You don't help people to get forward and up through the professional politicians," he said, at Connellsville. "What the professional politician is concerned with is holding his job. Therefore, I want the real rule of the people."

Soon after his arrival in Chicago Colonel Roosevelt is to start out on a special train over the Illinois Central for the swing through Illinois. He will speak tomorrow at Rockford, Freeport and Springfield. He is to remain in Springfield over Sunday, and on Monday speak at Clinton, Decatur, Monticello, Champagn and Danville.

A. & M. DEFEATED

Penn. State Downs Farmers by Score Of Seven to Two

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 5.—A. & M. lost to Pennsylvania State College today 7 to 2, the Penn. State players outclassing the Red and White in every department of the game, winning the contest hands down.

In the first inning the Quakers scored two runs on a base on balls, a sacrifice, and two singles. In the seventh they added three more tallies on five singles and one error. In the ninth two more were secured on three singles, two stolen bases and an error. In the third inning, A. & M., scored an earned run on a three bagger by Speer and a sacrifice by Seifert. In the sixth Robertson knocked the ball through the football bleachers in right field, securing a home run.

The features of the game were the all-round playing of the Keystone State team, the difficult catch of Stafford of a line drive to left field by Eberline, the three-base hit by Speer and the home run by Robertson.

Score by innings:

	R.	H.	E.
A. & M.... ....001 001 000	2	8	3
Penn. State.. ..200 003 002	7	12	1

Batteries: Jaynes and Seifert; Wardwell and Henderson.

Summary: Struck out by Jaynes 4; by Wardwell 4; bases on balls, off Jaynes 1; hit by pitched ball, by Wardwell 1; sacrifice hits, A. & M. 1; Penn. State 2; stolen bases, A. & M., 2; Penn. State 4; left on bases A. & M., 6; Penn. State 9; double plays, Penn State 1; home runs, Robertson; three-base hits, Speer; two-base hits, Stafford; passed ball, Henderson 1; time, 1 hour, 50 minutes; attendance, 600; umpire, Upchurch.

WASHINGTON & LEE LOST.

Columbia Batted Moran Out of the Box.

Lynchburg, Va., April 5.—Moran, Washington and Lee's noted southpaw, who has signed with Detroit, was driven from the slab today by Columbia University. The score:

Columbia University 5	
Washington and Lee 4	

THE OUTLAWS BEG FOR FOOD

Went to Man's Home Near Mount Airy Almost Famished—Detectives and Hounds Took Up Trail With No Result.

Hillsville, Va., April 5.—According to Sug Smith, who lives over Mount Airy way, toward the Carolina line, Sidna Allen and Wesley Edwards, the two Court House assassins, came to his cabin last night and begged for food. Allen came to his door, he said, and Edwards stood guard. Allen declared neither had taken food that day. They got none from Smith and took to the mountains. The mountaineer feared to tell the detectives until midnight, and it was morning when a posse took up the trail. Sheriff Haynes, of Mount Airy, took the bloodhounds, but they refused to scent the trail and the posse went off on Smith's directions.

The posses are posting copies of Governor Mann's proclamation, calling upon all citizens to withhold aid from the fugitive outlaws. Allen and Edwards are the only free men of the gang of eight, which on March 14th raided the Carroll county Court House and murdered five people—three of them officers of the court.

ALIGNMENT SETTLED

Taft, Roosevelt, LaFollette, Clark and Wilson On Ballot

Boston, Mass., April 5.—The alignment of political forces for the Massachusetts Presidential preference primaries on April 30th was settled today with the expiration of the time limit for withdrawals from the tickets. Republican voters will express their preference between Taft, Roosevelt and LaFollette, while Democrats will choose between Clark and Wilson, Govrnor Foss having withdrawn.

The LaFollette leaders did not file a list of candidates for delegates to the Chicago convention and the Roosevelt committee failed to fill a vacancy in the district, but will seek to win with stickers. Taft candidates appear in all districts. Independent candidates were also named in several districts.

There is no provision in the primary law for so-called "circle" voting for any group of delegates and voters will be required to mark for eight delegates and eight alternates at large, two district delegates and two alternates and to express a Presidential preference.

MRS. GREEVER'S BODY FOUND.

Wife of Columbia Clergyman Discovered in Potomac River.

Washington, April 5.—The body of Mrs. N. Roberta Greever, wife of a Lutheran clergyman, Rev. W. H. Greever, of Columbia, S. C., who disappeared from this city February 17th, while suffering from a nervous breakdown, was discovered today in the Potomac river near Mount Vernon. The finding of the body ends a country-wide search for Mrs. Greever.

Her husband accompanied her to this city and placed her in a sanitarium. On the night of February 17th she eluded her nurse and until the discovery of the body today no trace of her had been found. She was 44 years old, and was the daughter of the late Rev. G. A. Bruegeul, a Lutheran clergyman.

Washington, April 5.—With the withdrawal of Governor Foss as a Democratic Presidential candidate in the approaching primary in Massachusetts, it was claimed by the Clark managers today as assuring the capture of the Massachuesetts delegation by the Speaker. Former Senator Dubois, in charge of Speaker Clark's National campaign, after a conference with Congressman Curley, who has been conducting the Clark affairs in Boston, expressed the belief that a Clark delegation would be sent to the Baltimore convention.

OUTLINES

Governor Woodrow Wilson held a campaign meeting at Springfield, Ill., yesterday.

Robert E. Peary declared yesterday that he thought both Amundsen and Scott had reached the South Pole.

Senator Robert L. Taylor was laid to rest in the Old Gray Cemetery, at Knoxville, Tenn., yesterday, and thousands gathered to pay tribute to his memory.

"Civic Patriotism" was the subject of an address by S. C. Mitchell, of the University of South Carolina, at the Conference for Education in the South at Nashville, Tenn., yesterday.

Roosevelt spent the greater part of the day yesterday in preparing an address which he will make in Chicago today. He made several short talks at places where his train stopped.

The flood in the Mississippi Valley yesterday broke through the Reel Foot levee near Hickman, Ky., inundating 150 square miles of land and endangering many people and much property.

Sidna Allen and Wesley Edwards went to the home of a man near Mount Airy in a famished condition and begged for food, but when bloodhounds were put on the scent yesterday they failed to pick up the trail.

The body of Former Governor Aycock, who dropped dead while speaking on education at Birmingham, Ala., Thursday night, was sent from that place to Raleigh, where it will arrive this morning and arrangements have been made to have it lie in state there and to hold the funeral Sunday.

New York Markets: Wheat, spot, steady; No. 2, red, 1.05 7-8, elevator, export basis, to arrive, and 1.08 5-8 f.o.b. afloat. Corn, spot, firm, export, 80 1-2 f.o.b. afloat. Rosin, quiet. Other markets, holiday.

SENATOR TAYLOR IS LAID TO REST

Thousands of Tennesseeans Gathered to Pay Tribute to Fiddling Bob

AN ASSOCIATION WAS FORMED

Its Purpose is to Issue a Memorial Edition of the Senator's Famous Lecture, "The Fiddle and the Bow."

Knoxville, Tenn., April 5.—Beneath a towering embankment of floral tributes of love and affection, symbolic of the beautiful nature and sunshine of which he was a living exponent, all that is mortal of the late Senator Robert Love Taylor now rests in Old Gray cemetery, in this city.

Following the return of the funeral train to this city this morning, arriving soon after 8 o'clock from its pilgrimage to Nashville, where the dead statesman lay in the legislative hails yesterday, the obsequies were held. At the Southern Railway station the funeral party was met by a committee of citizens who, with a guard of honor from Knoxville lodge, Benevolent, Protective Order of Elks, of which the Senator was a member, formed an escort to the auditorium. At 9:30 o'clock this spacious building was opened, and for two hours thousands of friends and admirers of the deceased "apostle of sunshine" passed and viewed his lifeless form.

At 11:30 o'clock, the hour appointed for the ceremonials, the auditorium's seating capacity of 5,000 was fully occupied, Rev. I. P. Martin, D. D., pastor of the Church Street Methodist Episcopal Church, South, of which Senator Taylor was a member during his residence in this city, conducted the ritualistic services. Rev. W. S. Neighbors, D. D., president of Sullins College, at Bristol, Tenn., a former pastor and a life-long friends of the Senator, delivered the funeral oration, in which he spoke fittingly of the life and lovable character of the lamented Senator. A quartette sang, including the favorite hymn of the Senator, "Jesus, Lover of My Soul."

At the conclusion of the services at the auditorium, the processional was begun to Old Gray cemetery, about one mile distant. Accompanied by the University of Tennessee military band, the university cadet battalion, Knights Templar, Elks, citizens, State, city and Federal officials, Congressional committeemen, relatives and friends, the body was conveyed to the last resting place. Beneath a massive oak and beside his first wife and little daughter, Mary, who died in this city years ago, the dead Senator now reposes.

During the processional business houses, manufactories and street railway suspended operations, and church bells tolled. All city, county and Federal offices were closed, including the postoffice and the Federal pension office, of which Senator Taylor was chief when he was pension agent in 1885-1886.

The mass of floral tributes was most beautiful, tributes of love and affection for the deceased statesman. They came from friends in Washington, all over Tennessee and from almost every State in the Union. The entire Taylor square in the cemetery was hidden from view by the floral embankment.

In his eulogy, Dr. Neighbors spoke incidentally of the life of Senator Taylor. First of all, he said, his marvelous power over men was due to Senator Taylor's unbounded friendship for all sorts and conditions of humanity. His second asset was his beautiful songs and stories, back of which was his peculiar capacity to give them pathos and pungency and power.

The simple manner in which Senator Taylor uttered his thought was given as the third source of his power over men and, he said, "only great men can be simple, only great men are capable of going to the very heart of things, bringing up the hidden depths and making them transparent." His power, Dr. Neighbors said, was also due to the fact that his soul was full of music, and his master hand was able to touch the responsive chords in every other human being.

Discussing Senator Taylor's force as a statesman, Dr. Neighbors said some had been ungrateful enough to hint that he was not a deep nor strong man in affairs of State. "He was always deep enough to go to the bottom of things, and that is deep enough. He was always strong enough to tear down the fortifications of his opponents and carry the day, and that was strong enough," said the minister.

After the funeral services over the body of the late Senator Robert L. Taylor, the organization of a "Bob Taylor Memorial Association" was effected, with Lapseley G. Walker, editor of the Chattanooga Times, as president, and J. H. Hardwick, of Cleveland, secretary. One vice president from each of the 96 counties in the State was appointed.

The purpose of the association is to issue a memorial edition of "Bob" Taylor's famous "Fiddle and the Bow" lecture, to which is to be added the address delivered at the funeral of the late Senator by Rev. Dr. W. S. Neighbors, president of Sullins College, Bristol, Va.

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THINKS BOTH REACHED POLE

Peary Says Amundsen and Scott Attained the Goal—Anniversary of His Discovery of the North Pole.

New York, April 5.—Rear Admiral Robert E. Peary, retired, who discovered the North Pole, is of the opinion that both Amudsen, the Norwegian, and Capt. Scott, the Englishman, attained the South Pole. He expressed this view tonight in an address at a celebration marking the third anniversary of his discovery, at which he was honored by a unique medal made up of a meteorite, which he brought from the Arctic regions in 1897. Admiral Peary declared that from his study of the competition between Amundsen and Scott he believed the Englishman had also been successful in reaching the South Pole about the middle of January or about a month later than Amundsen reached it. The polar celebration tonight was under the auspices of the Peary Arctic Club, the American Geographical Society and the American Museum of Natural History. It was held in the museum building and attended by a large number of explorers and scientists. Not only Admiral Peary's achievement, but the discovery of the South Pole and the inauguration of the New Crocker Land Expedition were objects of the celebration. President Henry Fairfield Osborne, of the Museum, presided, and Zenas Crane presented Admiral Peary with the medal.

It was a five pointed star of sections of the great Ahnighito meteorite, which Admiral Peary brought from Cape York 15 years ago. In the center of the star around a blue-white diamond is the inscription: "Peary Arctic Club, to Robert E. Peary, April 6, 1912." inscribed in enamel with the dates of five definite achievements of the explorer, the pole in 1909, the farthest north in 1906, establishing the insularity of Greenland in 1900, securing the great meteorite, 1897, and the crossing of Greenland in 1892. The medal will be deposited with others of the Peary collection in the Natural Museum at Washington.

In replying to the presentation address, Admiral Peary spoke of the Antarctic exploration and after expressing his belief that Scott, as well as Amundsen had attained the pole, he said Amundsen's journey had demonstrated conclusively that the eskimo dog was the one and only motive power for polar expeditions.

There remain two very interesting problems in the north to be solved," he said, namely, "the exploration of Crocker Land and the penetration of that remaining large unknown area lying between the North Pole and Bering Strait and the second the crossing of Greenland at its widest point near the 78th parallel from Whale Sound to Cape Bismarck."

Other speakers were George Borup, and Donald B. McMillin, members of the Peary party, who will head the Crocker land expedition.

TRINITY DOWNS AMHERST.

Wins Slow Game by Score of Eight to Three.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Durham, N. C., April 5.—In a game that was exceedingly slow, Trinity defeated Amherst here this afternoon by a score of 8 to 3. Whiteman and Tilden were in the box for Amherst and both pitched wild ball. Tilden allowed only two hits, but Whiteman allowed six. Kanipe, in the second game he has pitched this season, allowed 10 hits, but he kept them well scattered and they did not amount to much. By bunching hits in the second inning Trinity netted five runs, which gave her a lead Amherst could not overcome. The game was delayed by much foul hitting on both sides. Features of the game were the work of Burt at first for Amherst, the hitting of John Thompson for Trinity and Burt and Vernon for Amherst. Anderson also did excellent work at short for Trinity. The score:

Trinity 250 010 00x	8	8	2
Amherst 010 000 020	3	10	2

Batteries: Kanipe and McLean; Whiteman, Tilden and Strahan.

Summary: Two-base hits, J. Thompson 2, Vernon, Burt; base on balls, off Kanipe 3, Whiteman 2, Tilden 2; left on bases, Trinity 4, Amherst 8; hits off Kanipe 10, Whiteman 6, Tilden 2; struck out, by Kanipe 3, Whiteman 3; hit by pitcher Kanipe, (Swasey); umpire Reddie Rowe.

ACCUSED OF CHILD'S MURDER.

Woman and Man Must Answer the Grand Jury.

Pensacola, Fla., April 5.—Accused of the murder of an 18-months-old child, Mrs. Eva Wood and G. L. Nichols, of Cottondale, are in jail at Marianna, held to answer the grand jury.

Mrs. Wood, also known as Mrs. Morris, lived at the home of Nichols. Her little daughter died last Thursday night and was buried the next day. Neighbors became suspicious and had the corps exhumed. Investigation revealed that the child's skull had been crushed. The arrests followed. Mrs. Wood, it is said, stated that Nichols was responsible for the child's death and threatened to kill her if she told of his act.

Detroit, Mich., April 5.—Two delegations of 192 members, one for President Taft and the other for Colonel Roosevelt, will represent Wayne county at the State Republican Convention at Bay City April 11. At the county convention today the Taft men elected in regular convention a solid delegation. The Roosevelt followers, after a heated contest, called a separate convention and took similar action.

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STRAIN TELLS ON REEL FOOT LEVEE

Flood Bursts Through and Inundates Parts of Several Counties

MANY FARMERS ENDANGERED

Battle Between Man and the Mississipi Won by the "Father of Waters"—Property damage Will Be Great

FLOOD THIS MORNING

Reel Foot Lake levee has collapsed. Flood water is spreading over several counties in Kentucky and Tennessee. Etimated 150 square miles being inundated.

River distance affected, central district 638 miles. Lies between Columbus, Ky., and Vicksburg, Miss.

River distance through which strain is heaviest known, 318 miles. Lies between Columbus, Ky., and Helena, Kas. Crest of flood not in sight, according to official statements. Rise beginning to be felt as far South as Natchez, Miss. Farm land flooded, unprotected by levees, 300,000 acres. Farm land endangered, subject to immediate overflow if levees break at important points, 800,000 acres.

Damage already estimated $1,500. Lives endangered by marooning of householders in central district, 20. Number so far rescued from places of peril, 300 or more.

Hickman, Ky., Apr. 5.—With a roar that could be heard for miles, the Mississippi river flood burst through the government levee five miles west of Hickman late today and tonight is racing over several counties in Kentucky and Tennessee toward Reel Foot Lake. By tomorrow 150 square miles of farming lands in Fulton county, Kentucky, and Lake and Obion counties, Tenn., will be an inland sea. Grave apprehension is felt for the safety of farmers in remote sections of the sparsely settled country. The water, when it came through, tore a gap 60 feet in width in the levee and the swirling current is fast eating away the earthwork and widening the breach.

The Reel Foot Lake levee, as it is generally known, has been regarded as a danger point for a week and strenous efforts had been made to hold the flood. Farmers, with business and professional men, have worked almost continuously for several days and nights in gangs with government laborers.

Until today, when the waves, driven by a high wind, began to beat against the banks, it was thought the fight would be won. The battle was at its height at the end. When the collapse came the workers were compelled to run for their lives, a number making their way to Hickman afoot, while others, marooned beyond the break, were rescued in gasoline launches.

The Reel Foot basin, over which the water is forming a blanket, is made up of small farming communities. The farmers' homes are generally frail structures and with the great rush of the flood are being swept away as chaff before the wind. A number of the residents had abandoned their homes and with their families sought safety in the towns on the surrounding hills, but others, more optimistic as to the ability of the protecting wall to hold back the raging waterway, remained in their lands. When the crash came efforts were made to communicate with the scattered villages by telephone, but with little success. Considerable livestock is still in the lowlands.

The property damage will be large, but farming operations will not be seriously hampered, except that the crop will be retarded. Because of the unusually heavy rains of the early Spring, but little of the ground has been tilled and the deposits left when the flood recedes will add to the productiveness of the land.

Should the water flow through the break in such volume as to force Reel Foot Lake from its banks, besides the county of Lake, the greater part of Obion county and a portion of Dyer will be inundated. Obion river will take up the water at the Southern terminus of the Lake and empty the surplus into the Mississippi.

Walnut Log, the scene of the "Night Rider" outrages several years ago, is in the path of the overflow.

Serious State of Affairs

Memphis, Tenn., April 5.—With one main levee gone, water lapping the crest of the embankments at half a dozen points and several breaks believed to be only the question of hours, Major Clark S. Smith, U. S. Engineer directing the fight against the water's encroachment, described the

Mississippi river flood situation tonight as grave. The Reel Foot Lake levee, west of Hickman, Ky., was the first of the main embankments to go. It collapsed late this afternoon and tonight the flood waters are sweeping over a wide area.

Golden Lake, 50 miles north of Memphis, and the levee on the Arkansas side, eight miles below this city, are regarded as in imminent danger. At both points sand bags have been piled on the surface of the revetments to a height of one and one-half feet and tonight the water is washing over. At Mound City, Ark., and at Holly Bush also, the levee threatens to cave.

Modoc and Blue Point, on the White river are other danger points. Caruthersville, Mo., sent an appeal tonight for more sacks.

The break near Hickman will relieve the situation south of that place only slightly as the water will make its way back into the Mississippi through Obion river, which taps Reel Foot Lake, the immediate reservoir for the overflow at its southern terminus.

Beyond that 45 feet will be exceeded at Memphis, no attempt is being made now to estimate the volume of water to come. For 450 miles, which make up the Central Valley, the water is from two to 10 feet above flood stage and as far south as Vicksburg and Natchez, Miss., the affect of the high water is being felt. At Memphis tonight the stage was 44 feet and six-tenths, a rise of four-tents in 12 hours. It is not thought that the crest of the rise will pass this point in less than a week.

A dispatch was received at the office of the Tennessee levee board tonight from United States Senator Clark, of Arkansas, stating that the War Department had been instructed to devote $40,000 of an emergency fund toward aiding in the fight between Cape Giardeau, Mo., and the mouth of the White river. Army supplies and tents are also to be sent to the aid of the flood sufferers. Pitiful cases of destruction have been relieved in various parts of the wide stretch of country embraced in the central section of the valley. Hickman, Ky., houses about 3,500 refugees, partly in tents, and these include some 2,000 or more employes of factories living in 900 or more houses flooded in Hickman last Monday. Columbus, Ky., and New Madrid, Mo., are the towns seriously affected by the invading waters. Thousands of townspeople have sought higher ground. Hundreds of head of livestock have perished, while many times that number were taken to points of safety before the rise.

No More Appropriations

Washington, April 5.—Congress will appropriate no more money for the relief of flood sufferers unless the conditions of the Mississippi, Missouri and Ohio river valleys grow worse. This was announced today by Representative Fitzgerald, chairman of the House Appropriations Committee, after a conference with President Taft and officers of the American Red Cross.

Mr. Fitzgerald said later the President had instructed the Secretary of War to utilize army supplies, but that reports indicated there were supplies sufficient in the flood districts to meet all demands. He added that two army officers dispatched to Hickman, Ky., and New Madrid, Mo., had failed to reach those points and that the President had agreed that, pending a report from those officers, further appropriations would be unwise.

"The President is in close touch with the Appropriations Committee," said Mr. Fitzgerald, "and if there be necessity for immediate appropriation will so advise us."

Congress, it was made clear, stood ready to provide for as soon as some definite idea of the needs of the sufferers was forthcoming.

Hickman, Ky., April 5.—At 10 o'clock tonight the crevasse in the Reel Foot levee was 150 yards in width and steadily widening, with the waters rushing through the gap with mighty force.

The Reel Foot levee extends about 50 miles from Hickman to Tiptonville Tenn. Where the break occurred the land slopes gradually to the Tennessee line and then is practically level. Cotton and alfalfa are the principal crop raised in the overflowed territory.

Substantial relief came today for the refugees of the flood being sheltered in Hickman. One check for $2,200 was sent by Louisville; Mayfield sent several carloads of bedding and clothing and three wagon loads of provisions and bedding came from Fulton; two from Union City and one from Woodland Mills.

Tents have been arranged in two villages for white and negroes. Rations are apportioned systematically.

The refugees range in age from infants a few weeks old to men and women infirm with their years. The health of the refugees is good. Only one, a woman, is seriously ill. She is suffering with erysipelas and has been isolated.

Rescues from perilous plights continue. A woman and child were rescued from a log floating down the river today. The last family to leave Dorena, Mo., was taken from a second story window. One woman walked 5 miles to Hickman with her five-weeks-old baby. At Craigs Landing 11 persons have erected a tent on a raft and declare they will make it their home until the flood recedes.

Prisoners Fight Flood.

St. Louis, April 5.—The Mississippi river at St. Louis registered 30.8 at sundown, a rise of two-tenths since morning and four-tenths in 24 hours. Unless there are heavy rains in this vicinity within a week the river is not expected to pass the 31 foot stage.

The flood situation at Caruthersville, Mo., is reported growing more serious each hour. The river is rising at the rate of five inches in 24 hours and the stage has passed that of 1903 by 25 inches.

Every store in the city was closed today and 2,000 men employed in jail joined the already large force of flood fighters.

No water is in the streets of Caruthersville, but the flood from the Point Pleasant Gap is fast filling up the little river basin several miles back of the city.

The levee in Caruthersville is the key to the flood situation of the entire St. Francis valley. Should a break occur here, the entire basin, filled with thickly settled towns, would be swept by water.

Starving Refugees Found.

St. Louis, April 5.—One hundred starving refugees were found in two houses at Wyatt, nine miles east of Charleston, Mo., tonight. They were found by a rescue party from this city, which will take them supplies tomorrow.

HUNT FOR "AXE MAN."

Clementine Barnabet, Who Has Confessed, to be Tried Next Week.

Lafayette, La., April 5.—The trial of Clementine Barnabet, negress, self-confessed slayer of 17 members of her race, is to be set for next week, according to parish officials. The grand jury yesterday returned six indictments against her, one for each of the six members of N. Randall's family, slain by the "axe man."

Officers working on clews believed to lead to Clementine's associates in crime and members of the sacrifice sect, have returned empty handed. They asserted, however, that they were on the right track and developments clearing up the murders of 13 or more other negroes are momentarily expected.

Joseph Thibodeaux, the negro "yerb doctah" fortune teller and alleged purveyor of the "cundjah bags" guaranteeing immunity from arrest, sits unconcernedly in his cell, not far from Ferran and Tatite, Clementine's brothers, all held as material witnesses. Bernard, Clementine's father, once convicted of the murder of the Randell family, will be released, it is believed. The old man secured a new trial because it was found that he was intoxicated when convicted.

Darkies from outlying districts, once terrorized by the "axe man's" visits, gather daily about the little jail and stand silently gazing at that section of the prison in which Clementine is located. They are very bitter against the woman, and it is believed she would meet with short shift if for any reason she was released.

BRICKS, STONES, PISTOLS.

Officers and Strikers at Passaic Clash and Battle Royal Ensues.

Passaic, N. J., April 5.—A battle between several hundred striking silk mill operatives and 40 deputy sheriffs and policemen occurred outside the Forstmann & Huffman silk mill at Garside today, the strikers raining bricks and stones at the guard and the latter using their clubs and revolvers. Some of the deputies fired over the heads of the strikers and dispersed the crowd, which included a hundred or more women. Six arrests were made.

The strikers gathered outside the plant at Garfield at the opening hour and jeered the employes as they entered the mill. The crowd was ordered to disperse.

Immediately Charles Rothfisher, one of the organizers of the Industrial Workers of the World, addressed the crowd, declaring that the deputies had no right to enforce their order.

When the deputies tried to disperse the crowd the fight became general. The deputies and police used their clubs, and several drew their revolvers and fired over the heads of the crowd. The strikers ran, but Rothfisher and five companions were arrested and taken to the Hackensack jail.

One of the strikers was later found unconscious and with blood flowing from a cut in the head. The strikers claim that he was a victim of a deputy sheriff's club. Among others nursing wounds made by clubs are a dozen women.

Washington, April 5.—Senator Jones, of the Lorimer investigating committee, responding to questions from Senator Bristow, today, stated that the committee was using the utmost dispatch in the preparation of its report on the Lorimer case. With more than 9,000 pages of testimony before them, he said, the members of the committee were finding their task a heavy one. Mr. Bristow urged expedition in the interest of an early adjournment of Congress.

Berlin, April 5.—The German squadron, which is to return the visit of the second division of the United States Atlantic fleet to Kiel last Summer will sail for the United States May 10.

Pasadena, Cal., April 5.—Funeral services for Calbraith P. Rodgers, the aviator who was killed Wednesday in a flight at the Beach, were held here today. The body was sent to Pittsburg.

THIS WOMAN'S TROUBLES GONE

Terrible Cramps, Dizzy Spells Nervousness, Misery—Her Story of How She Got Well Again.

Hindsboro, Ill.—"Your remedies have relieved me of all my troubles. I would have such bearing down misery and cramps and such weak, nervous, dizzy spells that I would have to go to bed. Some days I could hardly stay up long enough to get a meal.

"The doctor's medicine did me no good so I changed to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and got good results from the first bottle. I kept on taking it and used the Sanative Wash with it, until I was well again. I think every woman who suffers as I have, could take no better medicine."—Mrs. CHARLES MATTISON, Box 58, Hindsboro, Ill.

Testimony of Trained Nurse.

Cathlamet, Wash.—"I am a nurse and when I do much lifting I have a female weakness, but I take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I cannot say enough in praise of it. I always recommend it for female troubles."—Mrs. ELVA BARBER EDWARDS, Box 54, Cathlamet, Wash.

The makers of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound have thousands of such letters as those above—they tell the truth, else they could not have been obtained for love or money. This medicine is no stranger—it has stood the test for years.

COTTON EXPORTS

Large Amount of Manufactures Sent Out of United States

Washington, D. C., April 5.—Exports of cotton manufactures from the United States in February were 50 per cent larger than in February of the preceding year, having been in that month practically five million dollars, against 3 1-4 million in February, 1911 and in the eight months ending with February, 32 million dollars, against 26 million in the corresponding period of 1911. The value of cotton goods exported in the eight months ending with February ($32,020,941) exceeds that of the corresponding period in any year except 1906, when the total for the eight months in question was $36,972,549, thus suggesting that the value of cotton goods exported in the full fiscal year which ends 90 days hence will be greater than in any fiscal year except 1905 and 1906, which made exceptionally high records, due to an abnormal demand for American cottons in Manchuria.

This unusually large total in the value of cotton manufactures exported from the United States is due in part to higher prices. The total quantity of cotton cloths exported in the eight months in question is 305 million yards, valued at 20 1-4 million dollars or an average of 6.6 cents per yard while the quantity exported in the corresponding eight months of the high record year 1906 was 521 million yards, valued at 31 million dollars, or an average of 5.95 cents per yard.

Cotton cloths, unbleached, and those of the class designated as "dyed, colored, stained, painted, or printed," are the principal articles in which the large increase in February exports of cotton manufactures occurred. Unbleached cloths more than doubled in February, having increased from 13 million yards in February, 1911, to 29 million yards in February of the present year, and from 89 million yards in the eight months ending with February 156 million yards in the first eight months of the current fiscal year. Cotton cloths, dyed, colored, etc., increased from 11 million yards in February, 1911, to 18 million yards in February of the present year, and from 105 million yards in the eight months period of last year to 123 million yards in the corresponding period of the present year.

The gain in exports of cotton cloths, while occurring in many countries, is particularly marked in the case of China. To that country the exports increased from less than four million yards in February, 1911, to a little less than 13 million in February of the present year, while the totals for corresponding eight months' periods of the two years in question were 39 million yards and 77 million yards, respectively. The next largest total occurred in the exports to the Philippine Islands, February exports having increased from three million yards in 1911 to nine million yards in 1912, and the eight months' exports, from 24 million yards in 1910 to 37 million yards in 1911 and 46 million yards in 1912. To Canada the total for the eight months was 11 million yards, against 6 1-4 million in the corresponding months of 1910; to Central American States, 27 million yards, against 17 million in the same months of 1910; to Cuba, 19 million yards, against 10 million in the corresponding months of 1910; to the other West Indies, 40 million yards, against 28 million in the corresponding months of 1910; and to Aden, a distributing point for Arabia and East Africa, 20 1-2 million yards, against six million in the corresponding months of 1910.

Of cotton clothing and other wearing apparel, the total exportation for 1911 is 5 1-3 million dollars, against 3 1-2 million in the corresponding months of 1910.

COLORED BROTHER UNDESIRED

Effort to Achieve White Man's Republican Party In Louisiana

New Orleans, April 5.—"A white man's Republican party in Louisiana," was the object of a conference of prominent Republicans here, called by Frank B. Williams, who maintains that he is still the regular chairman of the Republican State Central Committee. Although the conference was composed of supporters of different Presidential candidates, it was a unit on the matter of color and protested against what was termed the "meddling" of the sub-committe sent here by the National Committee, and which succeeded in placing negroes in the State organization.

Mr. Williams, who is an avowed supporter of the President's candidacy, said of the sub-committee's visit: "They wanted me to admit as members certain men we had excluded from our Federal meeting. I refused to agree to anything of the kind. We offered them what they came for—a solid Taft delegation. They wanted negroes in the committee in order to be able to control the negro vote in the North and West."

Postmaster A. F. Leonhardt and D. A. C. Fowler withdrew from the conference.

OLDEST TELEGRAPHER DEAD.

Courtland M. Cunningham Intercepted Message to Lee.

New York, April 5.—Courtland M. Cunningham, one of the oldest telegraphers in the service of the Western Union Telegraph Company, died in Brooklyn today of heart disease. Mr. Cunningham was a veteran of the Civil War and served in the signal corps of the Union army.

While employed in tapping wires in the campaign preceding the battle of Gettysburg, Cunningham is said to have intercepted a message from the Confederate government ordering Gen. Robert E. Lee to make an invasion of the North. Cunningham at once turned the message over to the Federal authorities, with the result that Gen. Mead was ordered to intercept Lee. The battle of Gettysburg followed and Lee's plan of invasion was thwarted.

Saniago, Cuba, April 5.—Secretary of State Knox arrived here this afternoon on the United States gunboat Eagle, from Guantanamo. At the request of Mr. Knox, who desires his visit to be considered an unofficial one, especially on account of this being Holy Week, no functions had been arranged for his entertainment. The Secretaray and his party, therefore, spent the afternoon sightseeing and tomorrow also will occupy their time visiting points of interest in and around Santiago. Mr. Knox will board the cruiser Washington again tomorrow evening and sail for Kingston, Jamaica.

How to Obtain Government Publications.

No doubt most people interested in useful reading matter will thank the proper information, obtained through official sources, as to how public documents can be procured with least trouble and at trifling expense. The idea that prevails most generally, that this class of literature may be secured through the courtesy of members of Congress, is correct only in a so slight a degree that it had best be corrected. There are nearly 500 Senators and Representatives—hence an edition of several thousand copies, if distributed pro rata, gives to each only a few copies. Some of these the Senator or Representative needs for reference, the few left over are soon exhausted, and those constituents who then write for them are necessarily disappointed, through no fault of the public man whom they have addressed. Now, as a general proposition, the reader who is interested in a government publication will serve himself best by addressing the official known as the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C., who is authorized to have reprinted any government publication for which there is a demand, and sell the same, at cost, to all applicants. He will mail price lists, divided by subjects, free upon application, and remittance can then, as required by law authrizing such sales, accompany order.

The Houston Post (Dem.) says: "If we adopt the old Democratic tariff policy of revenue only, so adjusted as not to discriminate between class or section, and pledge the party to an economical government and to such progressive measures as are consistent with the ideals of the republic and in harmony with our ancient principles, we will have a solid party at our back. This programme might not be all that one set of Democrats desire or what another faction would prefer, but it would be one that every Democrat could support."

The New York World (Dem.) says: "Germany's reply to the speech of First Lord of the Admiralty Churchill is to refuse to abandon the plan of construction of three extra ships. Accordingly, Great Britain's reply will be to build five more super-dreadnoughts than it normally would. It is a foolish contest in warship building which neither country can afford and which brings national bankruptcy that much nearer for both."

Washington, April 5.—The Agricultural Committee of the House has postponed until December further deliberation of the bills to reduce the tax on oleomargerine.

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This prescription comes from a physician who has made a special study of men and I am convinced it is the surest-acting combination for the cure of deficient manhood and vigor failure ever put together.

I think I owe it to my fellow man to send them a copy in confidence, so that any man anywhere who is weak and discouraged with repeated failures may stop drugging himself with harmful patent medicines, secure what I believe is the quickest-acting restorative, upbuilding, SPOT-TOUCHING remedy ever devised, and so cure himself at home quietly and quickly. Just drop me a line like this: Dr. A. E. Robinson, 4163 Luck Building, Detroit, Mich., and I will send you a copy of this splendid recipe in a plain, ordinary envelope free of charge. A great many doctors would charge $3.00 to $5.00 for merely writing out a prescription like this—but I send it entirely free.

Dallas, Texas, March 30.—The Texas State Democratic executive committee, by a vote of 27 to 4, today decided on the convention method of selecting delegates to the Baltimore convention in preference to the preferential primary plan and selected Houston as the place for holding the State convention May 28th. Precinct conventions will be held May 4th and county conventions May 7th. The committee did not express a preference as between the several candidates for the Democratic endorsement.

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FIGHT BETWEEN RAILROADS.

Dr. Riddick, Civil Engineer, Witness in Lumberton Case—Raleigh Items.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 5.—Dr. W. C. Riddick, of the chair of engineering, A. & M. College, is just back from Lumberton, where he was summoned to attend the trial of a big law suit between the Seaboard Air Line and the Virginia, Carolina & Southern, involving a crossing that the defendant railroad company has across the Seaboard Air Line at Lumberton. Dr. Riddick went as an engineering expert to testify as to the conditions involved in the case, and the probable menace present conditions are to the traveling public. It seems that the Virginia, Carolina & Southern put in a crossing on the main line of the Seaboard Air Line to get a side track to the Lumberton cotton mill so it could compete with the Seaboard for the freight of this mill. The crossing was made over night so the Seaboard would not have time to make a fight before the track was down. Now the Seaboard is demanding that the crossing be taken up, or that the most modern appliances for protecting the traveling public be installed by the Virginia, Carolina & Southern.

Chas. Murphy was brought from Yancey county today by Sheriff J. M. Edwards, to serve seventeen years for killing Jack Simmons. This is a case in which Murphy was first sentenced to death, but got a new trial from the Supreme Court. The next trial resulted in a modified verdict, the jury holding that Murphy was somewhat irresponsible, being subject to epileptic fits or something of the sort, and the killing may have been due to this condition. Simmons was shot to death in the public road because he would not give Murphy whiskey that he demanded and which Simmons had in his wagon. He wanted Murphy to wait until they reached a more convenient place in the road.

The National Fire Appliance Co., of Charlotte, received a charter today, with $25,000 capital authorized and $10,000 subscribed by G. S. Goode, G. D. McCall and Jno. T. Fletcher, for manufacture of fire-fighting appliances.

Another especially notable charter is for the Eastern Dredging Co., of Greensboro, capital, $25,000, by N. W. Thompson, C. W. Hodge, L. Moseley and others, for general engineering, dredging business. Other charters are to the Dixie Store Co., Greensboro, capital, $10,000, by Jas. M. Thomas, Ada Thomas and others; the Park Mercantile Co., Winston-Salem, capital, $30,000 authorized, and $5,000 subscribed, by W. H. Maslin and others; the Polk County Water Co., of Tryon, Polk county, capital, $25,000, by E. P. Bacon and others; the Greensboro Drug Co. reduces its capital from $22,000 to $5,000,by special amendment to its charter.

CODE OF ETHICS.

Electrical Engineers Decide on Rule of Conduct.

New York, March 30.—The Board of Directors of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers adopted at their last meeting a Code of Principles of Professional Conduct. The code was compiled and submitted to the board by a committee consisting of George F. Sever, consulting engineer; H. W. Buck, consulting engineer; Col. Samuel Reber, signal corps, U. S. A.; Dr. Charles P. Steinmetz, consulting engineer of the General Electric Co.; Henry G. Stott, superintendent of motive power of the Interborough Rapid Transit Co., of New York City, and Dr. Schuyler S. Wheeler, president of the Crocker-Wheeler Co. The movement for the adoption of such a code was initiated by Dr. Wheeler who is a past president of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers. He delivered an address on "Engineering Honor" at the 23rd annual convention of that body in Milwaukee, Wis, May 28th, 1906. Immediately after the delivery of the address a committee was appointed to draw up the code.

The code, as adopted, covers the general principles by which every electrical engineer should be guided, the Engineering Records and Data, the Engineer's Relations to the Public, and the Engineer's Relations to the Engineering Fraternity. Under the first head it prescribes the highest standards of honor. Under the second it advocates absolute frankness at all times in the complexity of relations in which any engineer may be involved through having interests, financial or otherwise, in several different directions. Under the third it makes plain the matter of ownership of engineering records or data which are the property of either the engineer or his client according to the different circumstances under which they were created. The fourth division points out the duty of the engineer to assist the public to a fair and correct general understanding of engineering matters and to extend the general knowledge of engineering and also the advisability of conducting technical discussions and publishing first accounts of inventions in the technical press. The last division advocates co-operation among engineers, mutual protection against misrepresentation and the giving of credit to whom it is due.

The Charlotte Observer (Dem.) says: "The colonel is playing in bad luck all around. Yesterday when he spoke at Portland, Me., the platform broke down, which was entirely right and proper, and in keeping with the general breakdown of the colonel. Everything appears to be against the colonel, but worst of all he is against himself."

Miss Bessie Marion Coats, B. A. Vassar, 1907, has received the Alice Freeman Palmer fellowship, founded in 1903 by Mrs. David P. Kimball, of Boston, and yielding an income of $1,000. Miss Coats is the holder of the Mary E. Ives fellowship in philosophy for 1910-11 at Yale.

MADAME RACHELLE'S ADVICE TO BEAUTY SEEKERS

Agnes—No, freckles are not really a disease and their removal is quite easy and simple. First, be sure to keep the skin always clean and well protected from sun and wind. Then massage the face lightly for a few weeks with an ethical proprietary preparation known as Wilson's Freckle Cream. This may be obtained for 50c at any good drug store or direct from the Wilson Freckle Cream Co., Charleston, S. C. It is perfectly harmless and guaranteed.

Mrs. D. T. S.—A little dry salt rubbed into the scalp every other night and then well brushed out, frequently promotes the growth of hair. Do not wash the hair too often.

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GATHERING OF IMPORTANCE

Wilmington Citizen Discusses Convention to Be Held in Washington.

Editor Star:—I have noticed with considerable interest a call issued by the Department of Commerce and Labor for a general meeting of Boards of Trades, Chambers of Commerce and industrial associations all over the country for a general meeting or convention in Washington city April 22nd for the purpose of forming a National Organization, the object of which would be to reflect the sentiments and wishes of the commercial and industrial interests of this country and one with which the government can confer as to legislation, trade, policies, etc., with the idea of expanding our commerce and developing our resources, regardless of partisan political handicaps.

It must be patent to every logical business thinking man that our trade and commerce have been sadly hampered at times and jeopardized on more than one occasion for purely political purposes and in this way the greatest good to the greatest number has often times been used as a football for crafty politicians and designing demagogues. There has been a time when such conditions would be tolerated, but as a people and country we are progressing too rapidly to think for a moment of longer countenancing such a policy. It would seem to me, therefore, that the occasion for such an organization as is indicated above would furnish an opprtunity for the emancipation of our commercial, industrial and other interests from the tyrannical yoke of partisan politics and afford us an opportunity for giving the business man, as well as the laboring man, a chance to do something, make something and accumulate something.

I would not be understood as suggesting or advocating the elimination of political parties or politics per se, for politics and political parties we must have. Political parties, however, would be far more useful to the general interest of our common country if the politicians better understood those policies which would best conserve the greatest good to the greatest number, and an organization such as the Department of Labor has suggested would seem to me as being a step in the right direction and through co-operation be able to reflect the sentiment and wishes of the business interests of all citizens and conditions of people.

As yet the Chamber of Commerce of this city has not appointed delegates to this proposed meeting, and I would suggest that action be taken and that thorough-going broad-gauged, liberal-minded men be sent, such as are capable of grasping the idea and full importance of the convention. Wilmington is a community which is capable of being affected favorably or unfavorably to an extraordinary degree by such a policy and it would seem to me that she shuld put her best foot foremost on this occasion and be represented by some of her best men. As I understand it the meeting on the 22nd as well as the organization which is to be materialized as the result of this gathering is to be nonpartisan and purely economical.

Z. W. WHITEHEAD.

FARM OPERATIONS DELAYED.

But Good Weather in Grmanville Gives Farmers Renewed Hope.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Oxford, N. C., April 5.—Farm operations have been considerably delayed on account of the late seasons, but the last few days of fair weather has brought hope back to the hearts of the farmers. Less plowing has been done in the county up to this time than for many years. Very little fertilizer has been hauled. One of the most significant tendencies in connection with the farming interests is the increased number of horses being used. One of the largest dealers in the county reports that over 600 horses and mules have been sold in the county this season. He also states that the demand is for larger horses. The little buggy type that used to be so popular is giving place largely to the heavier draft animals. Mr. C. H. Cheatham, one of the most progressive farmers of the county, received a letter from Prof. Curtis, of the A. & M. College, yesterday in answer to an inquiry about a pair of Percheron mares. Prof. Curtis wrote that he could get him an excellent pair for $600 and he was so much interested he hurried to Oxford this morning and phoned his order so as not to have even a day's delay in getting them. Along with this demand for heavier work stock goes the purchase of more and better farm machinery.

KINSTON NEWS NOTES

New Church to Be Opened—Democratic Committee Meets

Kinston, N. C., April 5.—The opening service in the new church of the Christian Scientists here will be held Sunday. The building just completed is one of the finest owned by a congregation of the faith in the State, and while small, will compare in elegance of architecture, finish and furnishing with any religious edifice in Kinston. For several years the congregation, comprised of many of the most influential residents, has been conducting its services in a downtown office building, in which chapel and reading rooms were maintained.

The Lenoir County Democratic Executive Committee will meet in the Court House here Saturday, after which it is predicted politics will take on new life in the county. An unusually large number of candidates are being mentioned for county offices, but as yet there has not been an official announcement made. It is expected that all of the present incumbents will enter the lists. In the neighboring counties, especially Greene, the political conditions are a good deal livelier than in Lenoir.

W. T. NEWBERRY DEAD

Passed Away In Birmingham—Burial In Fayetteville

Yesterday's Fayetteville Observer says:

"A telegram received in this city today announced the death of Mr. W. T. Newberry at his home in Birmingham, Ala., this morning. The ramains will arrive here Saturday.

"The illness of Mr. Newberry was mentioned in the Observer Wednesday. He is survived by his widow, his mother, and one brother, Mr. Claude Newberry, of Oklahoma."

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GEN. GRANT TAKES A REST.

Will be Gone From His Command for Four Months.

New York, April 2.—Maj. Gen. Frederick D. Grant, U. S. A., commander of the Department of the East, has left his post at Governor's Island and gone South to recover his health.

This announcement was made today by Lieut. Marion Howze, Gen. Grant's aide-de-camp. The announcement follows:

"Gen. Grant was run down in health and not feeling strong. Upon advice of his physicians he took a leave of absence and has gone South to obtain a rest. He purposely left no address so that he would not be bothered with mail."

The departure of Gen. Grant with his family from Governor's Island gave rise to reports that he was seriously ill. Concerning these Lieut. Howze said:

"As to the publication of these reports, the whole thing is a sensational fabrication."

Norfolk, Va., April 5.—Mrs. E. V. White, of Portsmouth, has been appointed by Gen. Bolling, Major General Commanding the Virginia Division United Confederate Veterans, as sponsor for Virginia to the Confederate reunion at Macon, Ga., May 7-9. Mrs. White is the wife of Capt. E. V. White, one of the few survivors of the crew of the Confederate gunboat Merrimac, during her memorable engagement in Hampton Roads with the Monitor during the Civil War. Mrs. White's former home was in Macon.

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One of the most startling changes ever seen in any man, according to W. B. Hoisclaw, Clarendon, Tex., was effected years ago in his brother. "He had such a dreadful cough," he writes, "that all our family thought he was going into consumption, but he began to use Dr. King's New Discovery, and was completely cured by ten bottles. Now he is sound and well and weighs 218 pounds. For many years our family has used this wonderful remedy for coughs and colds with excellent results." It's quick, safe, reliable and guaranteed. Price 50 cents and $1.00. Trial bottle free at R. R. Bellamy.

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Lv. Durham	7:00 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 a.m.	6:25 p.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a.m.	6:25 p.m.
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a.m.	6:55 p.m.
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Ar. St. Louis	6:33 p.m.	8:30 a.m.

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DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90, ! 3:40 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. No. 91 leaves Norfolk 3:35 P. M. and Richmond 4:10 P. M.	No. 91, a 1:00 A. M.
No. 51, 5:35 A. M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. **Pullman Sleeping Cars Between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.**	No. 50, *12:30 A. M.
No. 64, ! 5:50 A. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 65, ! 6:25 P. M.
No. 48, * 8:30 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. **Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York Trains with Pullman Service.**	No. 49, * 6:15 P. M.
No. 53, * 8:45 A. M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford.	No. 52, * 8:05 P. M.
N. 55, * 3:15 P. M.	Chadourn, Conway (!), Florence, Charleston, Savannah, **All Florida Points,** Columbia, Asheville and the West. **Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.**	No. 54, 1:40 P. M.
No. 62, 4:35 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 63, 12:55 P. M.
No. 59, ! 6:30 P. M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and Intermediate Stations.	No. 60, !10:15 A. M.
No. 42, * 7:00 P. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. **Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman and Dining Car Service. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.**	No. 41, *10:00 A. M.
No. 57, ! 7:30 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway and Intermediate Stations.	No. 58, ! 8:30 A. M.

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Trains Arrive at Wilmington:
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No. 44—12:10 A. M.—From Charlotte and intermediate points.

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No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 41, for Atlanta, Birmingham and Memphis; No. 84, for Washington and New York; No. 32, for Portsmouth, Norfolk, and No. 43, for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

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Saturday, April 6, 1912.

Many a man could get in the push if he wouldn't fall down.

Kick the fly around and get the necessary exercise it will afford.

It is said the "tube skirt must go," However, we will still have the tubes with us.

Republicans want four years more of Taft and the Interests want four more years of tariff graft.

When men get overly anxious for the people to rule it is a sign that they want the people to vote for them.

How can they prove that the suffragettes broke those shop windows in London by throwing stones? The ladies can prove that a woman's can't hit what she throws at.

Says the Raleigh Caucasian (Rep.): "Alamance has borrowed $17,200. That is what Democratic good government has done for that county." Well, doesn't it show that the credit of Alamance is good? Let Alamance cheer up.

The latest from Taft's headquarters in Washington is that Manager McKinley proposes to stress Taft's administration and allow the tariff to be a negative issue. He might want to do that, but the people have made the tariff the issue.

When a farmer gets an extraordinary yield from a few acres of land it does not mean that every farmer can do the same on any kind of land. It does mean, however, that the right kind of farmer and the right kind of land can do just as well.

Col. Roosevelt's further activity as a political spieler at this time doubtless is a part of the agitation which he proposes to keep up during the next four years. It hardly is for any effect it may have on the possibility of his nomination at Chicago on the 18th of June.

The voice of the people as heard from the direction of Wisconsin was not for the one who thought he was wanted for President. The latest returns from the primary is as follows: LaFollette, 26; Roosevelt, 3; Taft, 0. The Wisconsin people who heard the speeches of Taft and Roosevelt seem to have had their own opinion about them.

Says the Chester (Pa.) Republican: "It seems to be tacitly agreed that James Schoolcraft Sherman will not be Republican candidate for Vice President. It is one of the queer, but inevitable customs of our political system that the second executive official of the land cannot succeed himself in office." In that particular, the Vice President escapes the possibility of becoming a martyr.

Dr. Harvey W. Wiley made two declarations in his enlightening lectures at Richmond College that threw a flood of light on the recent events which culminated in his resignation as the head of the Pure Food Bureau of the government. One was that he resigned in order to have more liberty of speech; the other was that he had just commenced to fight. Such addresses as he made here are likely to mould and arouse public opinion all over the land. Mr. Taft's administration has a discreditable record on the honest enforcement of the pure food laws. The method of suppression that drove Dr. Wiley from this important work will of necessity react against the selfish motives that prompted it, and its reflex is one of the heaviest loads that Mr. Taft is forced to carry in his Presidential campaign. Dr. Wiley is doing a great public service in exposing the methods of the department from which he withdrew because of its corruption.—Richmond Journal.

WHY WILMINGTON VALUES ARE GOOD

The tremendous activity in building and real estate operations in Wilmington and her suburbs within the past few years are marvelously accentuated at this time. As steady and substantial as has been the constructive and developmental enterprises here during the past, the actual evidence now is that 1912 will witness the breaking of all records.

Within five years the value of business houes, factory buildings and homes erected has aggregated $7,000,000, while the volume of transactions in real estate and suburban developments has been on an unprecedented scale. Even so, the great activity in the construction of fine buildings in the business district, splendid homes throughout the city, and the magic creation of suburban settlements is at present surpassing the activities of all by-gone periods. Mr. J. M. Dowsing, who is spending a while in the city and who has been all over the United States, asked us a few days ago how it was and why it was such a large proportion of magnificent residential edifices are being constructed in a city the size of Wilmington. He remarked that he had never seen their equal in cities a great many times larger than Wilmington.

Our visitor's observations are correct, and as he is a man with a logical mind seeking for a reason, he is entitled to an answer. That answer also will explain the general and visible progress and evident air of prosperity that prevades the city of Wilmington at this moment. There is a reason, and it is because the enterprising men of Wilmington are realizing upon the splendid opportunities and matchless possibilities of Wilmington as an ocean gateway, commercial centre, and manufacturing point.

It is because the broad Atlantic and five hundred miles of inland navigation, together with Wilmington's logical situation as a receiving and distributing point, have made Wilmington the fourth port of the South Atlantic and Gulf States as to exports. The possibilities for port development have been realized in a foreign, coastwise and river commerce of $75,000,000 or more per annum. In foreign commerce alone the volume amounts to $32,017,950 for the fiscal year ended June 30th, 1911. Already for the ten months this year the exports of cotton have largely exceeded those of any previous year in the history of the port.

Because of Wilmington's unequaled advantages as a distributing point for a large Southern territory, the wholesale business of Wilmington last year aggregated $70,000,000. Her banking resources foot up between $14,000,000 and $15,000,000, while the strength and steady growth of all her financial institutions create wonder at home and astonishment abroad. Wilmington has become the clearing house for the Carolinas, and her banking resources are greater than those of any other city in the State.

Wilmington is one of the largest fertilizer manufacturing points in the United States, the products and materials handled by her factories in 1911 amounting to between $6,000,000 and $7,000,000. Other manufacturing establishments add more millions, while a large and prosperous retail business in all lines of mercantile endeavor constitute a most substantial factor in the city's prosperity.

Wilmington is a good city because it is a growing port and railroad centre with six lines radiating from here. It is the headquarters of the great Atlantic Coast Line and is the North Carolina ocean terminus of the Seaboard Air Line. With a new railroad just completed between Wilmington and Southport, the distributing facilities of the port have been increased, and the manufacturing possibilities of the city greatly enlarged.

A superb Winter and Summer climate is one of the assets of Wilmington, and much of her prosperity is due to the fact that it is the centre of a strawberry and truck-producing industry amounting to $5,000,000 annually. A mild climate and generous soil produce money crops Winter and Summer, so that cash is handled by our producers from January to January. This distribution of money products by rapid refrigerator trains to the Northern markets at all times of the year is one of the elements of prosperity in this section, and it is an enduring asset that stands back of Wilmington's progress.

Wilmington's delightful seaside resorts attracted more than 200,000 visitors last season, and so the ocean is another asset in this particular, while a splendid electric railway system in the city and a trolley line through the suburban settlements to the ocean largely contribute to the making of Wilmington. Wilmington is spending $900,000 for improved streets, sewerage and waterworks, and that is conspicuous evidence of a city that is going ahead.

Everything about Wilmington is moving onward and upward, and that is the reason why real estate is steady in value and is constantly increasing in demand. Values in Wilmington are firm and growing firmer because there is something behind them. That is why there is now being constructed in the downtown business streets a score of handsome hotels, bank and business buildings that would be a credit to any city. That is the reason why the Atlantic Coast Line is erecting a handsome $300,000 union pasenger station. Everything is moving forward in Wilmington, and values are good because Wilmington is prosperous and is surrounded by numerous factors in prosperity.

NORTH CAROLINA'S COMMONER.

In yesterday's Star we commented briefly upon the death of North Carolina's great commoner, ex-Governor Charles Brantley Aycock, formerly of Goldsboro but for some years past a resident of Raleigh. It was late Thursday night when a press bulletin was flashed from Birmingham, Ala., conveying the shocking news of his sudden death while he was delivering an educational address in a theatre in that city. The particulars came in the later dispatches, and readers of the Star read the sad details in yesterday's paper.

It is needless to say that all hearts in Wilmington and throughout North Carolina were profoundly touched by the sudden passing of an eminent North Carolinian who occupied a place so close to the heats of all the people of the State. Profound grief has been felt in every quarter of the State, for the death of the former Governor bereaves a people who owed their distinguished fellow citizen a debt of love as well as gratitude. He loved North Carolina and North Carolinians loved Aycock as they love no other man in the State.

Former Governor Aycock was essentially a commoner, for he came from the people, believed in the people and was devoted to the people. It was to him that the people of North Carolina turned to redeem their beloved State in the crisis of 1898. It is to such men as Aycock that people turn when men of loyalty and ability are needed to lead in a great cause. Almost in despair, the people of North Carolina looked to him to redeem the State from the evils of "fusion", and at once his strong arm was put forth for his people. He triumphed, North Carolina was saved, and from the beginning of his four years term as Governor, in 1899, there has been happiness and progress throughout the length and breadth of the State. North Carolinians gave him their loyal affection, but no position of honor or trust could ever have repaid Aycock for his great work for North Carolina—a work which restored the State to its true people and a work which has made the cause of education the chief aim of the State.

Mr. Aycock was one of the State's greatest lawyers and it was his innate ability and inherent gifts that won for him his place at the bar and his leadership in the State. He was strong with the people because he was as honest and courageous as he was able and gifted. Personally, he was a man of great magnetism and few men have ever fixed themselves so securely in the confidence of the people. It cannot be said that he was eloquent, as eloquence goes, but he was a ready, powerful and convincing speaker. In that particular he was the State's most persuasive orator, and certainly he was the State's matchless champion in the forum and on the stump. In a joint discussion no gladiator could hope to go up against him and win. It was not alone as a political leader and speaker that Charles B. Aycock excelled, for an able and distinguished member of the Wilmington bar says he was greater as a lawyer than as a leader in politics. The lawyer who entertained that opinion of him is the Hon. George Rountree, who attributes to him a wonderful power of illustrative amplification.

Mr. Aycock was endowed with a powerful intellect. He was keen and quick at analysis, convincing in argument, and incisive and clear in his interpretation of the law. He had a natural brilliance that was remarkable, and in most every respect it is conceded that he was not only North Carolina's favorite son, but her biggest man. He was one of the four candidates for the United States Senate, and had he lived, and his health permitted him to have stayed in the race, perhaps he would again have captured the State. North Carolinians would have been glad to honor him again, and they mourn that he has fallen when they might have turned to him and placed in his hands a high honor and trust.

DO THE PEOPLE RULE—HUH?

Every two to four years the people are entertained with the idea that they rule. They vote and go home and go about their business, and if they know a thing or two they come to the conclusion that the ruling is done by the chosen representatives of the people and not by the populace. Since the people really do not rule, but are ruled by men of their selection, the people can get better rule by being particular about the men whom they choose to be their rulers. If they select any and all sorts of men they will get the sort of rule they deserve. The people—that is the mass of voters—are no better than the men they elect to office, for no candidate can be elected except by the consent of the people at the ballot box.

"Do the people rule?" Nit, Paulina! The guys whom they elect do the ruling, while the people tamely submit, and when the campaign rolls round some patriot squeezes their hand, looks from the stump into their honest faces, calls them "my dear countrymen," persuades them that he has the wisdom of Solomon, and expects them to vote for him under the idea that he is a prodigious problem grappler. Nine times out of ten he is merely a windjammer and is seeking the gratification of his ambition more than he is the real interests of the people. We like to hear a candidate pledge himself to use his honest endeavors to fulfill his obligations to the people and his country, but when he pretends that he is going to set the world afire and save the ashes we know he has woefully fooled himself or is trying to fool the people in his own interest. Candidates of that sort are punk burners and there is no wonder that after they paw up the earth and get what they want, they round out a career that is only ordinary. The biggest man in the bunch rarely ever achieves such greatness that anybody could identify his footprints in the sands of time. Some candidates can put on a jim-swinger coat, strike the attitude of a statesman, disturb the circumambient air with loud talk, do very little of what they think they can do, and finally wind up in the "family burying ground" without a monument that would in any way astonish the natives.

We used to know an old darkey root doctor who was wont to say: "Blessed am dem dat 'spects nothin', fer dey ain't gwinter be diserpinted." Wherefore, it is better to be from Missouri when men take to the stump to persuade you that they can grapple the octopus, straddle it while it is writhing, and snatch out its teeth for souvenirs for an admiring and applauding constituency. We have seen them promise to do that and then fail to even get on the trail of militant monopoly or so much as scent the track of a triumphant trust. Take it easy—powerful easy. Don't expect too much of any candidate. If he can accomplish one-tenth he thinks he can do he will turn out better than should be expected of him. Most candidates promise to do something big, but they are mostly interested in doing each other.

The Colonel has come South on his hunt for delegates. Southern Republicans have never been known to bet on a horse after he has run and lost the race.

CURRENT COMMENT.

The Wilmington Star says that what North Carolina needs is a "Good Roads Governor." It states it approves of the unanimous call to Locke Craig that "We do not know what else he proposes to do besides just being Governor, but The Star nominates him for Good Roads Governor." Here is a second nomination.—Raleigh News and Observer.

The Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company has entered the war against the cattle tick. Its onslaught is in the shape of an attractive eight-page bulletin, nicely illustrated and full of valuable information. Tick eradication is an event of great importance to the people of eastern Carolina, and the Coast Line is performing a public service in contributing to the attainment of that end. With ticks to plague us, cattle industry is out of the question; with no cattle industry agricultural development can never reach anything like the proportions it ought to attain after successful tick eradication; and unless agricultural development is successful we fail miserably in making use of our opportunities. Much then, depends on successful tick eradication in eastern North Carolina. The government is actively engaged in the work, and county after county has been released from quarantine. The government, though, doesn't undertake the job except in stock law territory. An the fact that stock law territory can be relieved of the pest while in non-stock law territory the task is practically hopeless, is a strong argument in favor of the stock law—for a State-wide stock law.—Kinston Free Press.

The other day a joint of pipe of the Southern Oil Company's pipe line, which crosses Chester county, burst and thousands of barrels of crude oil escaped before the pumps were shut down. The line carries oil from Illinois to the Delaware river refineries, and it is forced through the pipes by heavy pressure. The pipe that bursted is on the farm of Mrs. Sallie Young, in West Bradford, and the oil gushed forth like a geyser. It soon formed a stream that swept down the hill into the Brandywine, two miles distant. Word was phoned to Wilmington, which gets its water supply from the Brandywine, to look out for the oil. The pumps of the water works were shut down until the oily deluge was over. Besides the loss of the oil, several acres of land on Mrs. Young's and other farms were ruined, as nothing will grow on land for years after it has been saturated with oil. Some days before another break in the line occurred at Marshallton, and several thousand barrels of oil escaped. The farmers conducted the flowing oil into pools and filled all the barrels and other vessels they could find. The oil that comes through Chester county is from the oil fields in Oklahoma. It is piped into huge tanks in Southern Illinois, and then piped all the way to the Delaware river, to be refined and shipped abroad in tank steamers. The leak in the broken pipe was finally stopped by placing a steel jacket over the fracture. The oil that settled in the ravines and on the ponds was burned, and West Bradford looked as if bonfires had been started, as the country was illumined for miles around.—Oxford (Pa.) Press.

Ex-Senator W. A. Peffer, of Kansas, 80 years old, one of whose legs was amputated a week ago, has resumed work on his autobiography. He expects to finish the book in two months, having gathered all his speeches and writings on the railroads, tariff and the money question, and the speeches of others on the Farmers' Alliance and the Populist movements.

Mrs. Grover Cleveland having given the wedding dress which she wore at the time of her marriage to the National Museum, in Washington, the managers of the museum are planning to preserve the costumes worn by prominent women in social and official life in the National capital.

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My husband had no faith in it, but I commenced using Cardui, according to directions, and now he is thoroughly convinced that Cardui is doing me more good than all the doctors.

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THE JURY NOW COMPLETE

Twelve Men Who Will Pass Upon Life of J. C. Holly Will be Empanneled This Morning—Tedious Session Yesterday.

As the big clock in the tower high up over the Court House tolled off the hour of six last evening the 12th man of the jury which is to pass on the life or death of J. C. Holly was sworn in, and this morning for the second time he will be formally placed on trial for the alleged murder of his ward, Edward Cromwell, whose dead body was found in the burning Rock Springs Hotel, of which Holly was proprietor, about two years ago.

What the future holds for the accused man will be definitely known within the next week, it is expected. Whether he will be found guilty and sentenced to electrocution as in the former trial, from which he was saved when the Supreme Court granted a new trial, is a matter of some speculation on the part of the public, and many profess to believe that this will not be the case. Counsel on each side claim to have strengthened their respective cases, and it is certain that the matter will be hotly contested and fought to the finish.

Two days have been taken up with the selection of the jury, and five special venires totalling 220 men, were exhausted yesterday in securing the three additional men needed when court resumed in the morning at 9:30. The first two of these were secured from the first special venire of 100, and then two venires of 30 and one of 40 men were exhausted fruitlessly. Late in the evening a special venire of 20 men was summoned, when Judge Ferguson had hinted that if the jury was not soon selected he would move the case and out of the first half dozen of this number the last man was secured.

The three jurors secured yesterday were Messrs. J. T. French, H. W. Colwell and W. E. Pearson, and the complete jury is constituted as follows: Messrs. G. T. Keen, E. E. David, J. B. Hunt, J. T. Canady, W. H. Best, LeRoy Batson, Frank Herbst, G. W. Shepard, A. J. Beach, J. T. French, H. W. Colwell and W. E. Pearson.

Judge Ferguson did not empannel the jury last night, stating that he would wait until court is resumed this morning at 9:30 o'clock. The examination of witnesses will be taken up this morning and the attorneys in the case hope to make good progress from now on, though many profess to believe that the trial will not be concluded until the middle of next week. It is said that even more witnesses than at the previous trial will be put on.

Solicitor Shaw is assisted in the prosecution by Brooke G. Empie and Louis J. Poisson, Esqs., and they express themselves as confident that the State has an even stronger case than when Holly was tried over a year ago. However, Wm. J. Bellamy and C. D. Weeks, Esqs., for the defendant, are fully as optimistic over the prospects for the acquittal of their client on the murder charge.

Holly was in court all day yesterday and appeared to be very cheerful under the circumstances. At times there is a worried expression on his face, and it can be seen that he is laboring under a considerable strain, but on the whole he bears himself in a cool and self-possessed manner, and frequently confers with his attorneys.

Yesterday was a tedious one in the court room, but even then the crowd of spectators was at all times large, reflecting the interest that is felt in the case. The selection of the jurors has been a tiresome task, and an exceedingly prolonged one. In all about 457 veniremen were summoned before the 12 men were selected. A large per cent. of this number was excused by the defendant's counsel when they had expressed themselves as believing that Holly is guilty.

Judge Ferguson yesterday relieved Mr. G. L. Morton of duty as foreman of the grand jury on account of pressing business, and Mr. C. VanLeuven qualified and was sworn in as foreman. The grand jury returned no bills of any nature whatsoever yesterday, and it is probable that adjournment will be taken today.

YESTERDAY GOOD FRIDAY.

Day Was Very Generally Observed in Wilmington.

Yesterday, as Good Friday, commemorating the death of Christ on the cross, was probably even more generally observed in Wilmington than usual. Many of the business houses and public institutions were closed for all or part of the day, and business was for the most part at a standstill.

In the churches, Catholic as well as Protestant, the day was observed with the most solemn services of the year, with the church bells hushed and the altars draped in black, the ceremonies typical of the sufferings and crucifixion of the Savior.

Morning and evening services were held at all three of the Episcopal churches, and all services were largely attended. At St. Paul's Lutheran Church, morning and evening, services were held and at St. Matthew's church a special service was held last night at 8 o'clock. Impressive services also were held at St. Mary's Pro-Cathedral.

Following the note of sadness in yesterday's services, the church today will hold services marked by the singing of Hallelujahs and hymns of gladness, in preparation for the glad Easter day which follows. Many of the churches will be decorated for the Easter services.

Dr. Henderson to Lecture Here.

Dr. Archibald Henderson, of the University of North Carolina, has accepted an invitation to deliver an address in the auditorium of the High School on Friday evening, April 12th, at 8:30 o'clock. This is one of the series of addresses arranged for the season. A real treat is in store for those who avail themselves of the opportunity to hear this gifted critic, writer and lecturer.

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TWO FINE GAMES

Basketball Contests at Boys' Brigade Last Night Very Exciting

Two of the best games of basketball ever played in the city were pulled off last evening in the gymnasium of the Boys' Brigade. The first game was between Company C and the A. D. S. Club and won by the latter by the score of 17 to 15. At the close of the second half the score was a tie, 15 to 15, and had to be played off, the winning goal being made by N. Shepard after three minutes of play. Every member of both teams played fine ball, but the following deserve special mention: Company C, Dickerson and Register, M.; E. D. S., Morrison, Shepard and Hall.

The second game was a very fast one throughout, both teams doing some very fine work. At the close of the first period the score stood 15 to 13 in favor of the Y. M. C. A. Juniors. In the first minute of play in the second half Register, of the Brigade, made a field goal, thus tieing the score, and from that time on it was nip and tuck until the last few minutes of play, when Shepard and Davis, N., each succeeded in getting away from their guards and making several field goals. The final score was 37 to 31 in favor of the Y. M. C. A. Juniors. As this is the second game won by the Y. M. C. A., in the series of three, the Junior championship of the city goes to that of Y. M. C. A. team. Farrar at center, for the Y. M. C. A. team, played a fine game, while the work of Davis, K., and Morrison, F., at guard, was of the gilt edge style. Register, H., and Branch at forward, did splendid work for their team and were well supported by Dixon at center and Cameron and E. Register at guards. These games will probably close the basketball season as baseball seems to be the thing since the arrival of Spring-like weather.

DONALDSON THE WINNER.

Defeated High School at League Park Yesterday Afternoon.

In their first contest of the present season the Donaldson Military school baseball team defeated the Wilmington High School team at League Park yesterday afternoon by the score of 4 to 2. The two teams meet again this afternoon at 3:30 and the local lads are determined to obtain revenge.

The game was fast and interesting throughout and kept the interest of the spectators on edge from start to finish. Donaldson secured one run in the first inning and the Wilmington lads came back in their half with two. The visitors annexed another in the third, another in the sixth and a final one in the eighth. Both runs made by the home team were earned, while errors figured in the scoring of the visitors. The line-up was as follows:

Donaldson,		Wilmington.
Venable	1b	Burnett, R.
Curry	p	Shaw
Cook	c	Burnett, C.
McFall	2b	McIntire
Stowe	3b	Jackson
Stewart	ss	Houston
Pittman	rf	Litgen
Townsend	cf	DeVane
Wannamaker	lf	Zimmerman

Umpire, Mr. Davis.

The game this afternoon will be started at 3:30 o'clock promptly. Except for the batteries, the line-up will probably be the same. Sneed and Burnett will officiate for Wilmington and McFall and Cook for Donaldson. The Wilmington boys are determined to win the game to even up with their opponents and have a chance at the deciding game to be played at Fayetteville later. A 15-minute schedule has been arranged, with cars leaving Front and Princess every quarter of an hour between 2:30 and 3:30. Admission will be 25 cents for adults and 15 cents for children.

LICENSE FOR CHAUFFEURS.

Movement on Foot in City and Will be Brought Before Council.

A number of the chauffeurs of the city are advocating a movement to have City Council adopt an ordinance prohibiting anyone from acting as a chauffeur unless holding a license, to secure which the applicant must pass an examination showing him to be fitted to hold the position.

The movement is the outgrowth of the many automobile accidents, due to careless driving, which have occurred in this city in the past few years, and especially in the last few months. The idea seems to be meeting with an enthusiastic second from the public generally, for everybody would be glad to see reckless and incompetent men disqualified and prohibited from acting as chauffeurs.

Councilman B. C. Moore has been approached on the matter and he is said to be in favor of the plan, and will no doubt exert his influence in its favor when it is brought before the Council.

While the details of the plan have not been worked out as yet, there is little doubt but that it can be placed on a successful scale of operation, and the rule will doubtless be in force in the city in the near future.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Announcement by Wilmington Pastors for Services Tomorrow.

First Presbyterian church, corner Third and Orange streets, Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., pastor.—Services tomorrow, Sunday, at 11 A. M., conducted by the pastor, and at 8 P. M. by Rev. J. W. Plowden. Brotherhood Bible Class at 12:20 P. M. Sunday school at 3:30 and Christian Endeavor Society at 7:15. Midweek prayer service at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening. Public cordially invited.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, corner Fourth and Campbell streets, Rev. Alex. D. McClure, D. D., pastor. — Sabbath services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sabbath school, at 3:30 P. M. W. C. E. Society at 7:15 P. M. Prayer meeting and lecture, Wednesday at 8 P. M. The public cordially invited. Seats free.

St. Matthew's English Lutheran church, North Fourth street, Rev. H. E. Beatty, pastor.—Divine services Easter Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and 7:30 P. M. Holy communion at the morning service. Early service at 7 o'clock by the Sunday school. Visitors cordially invited.

PORT PARAGRAPHS.

Two Schooners Arrive With Cargoes of Acid Phosphote.

The schooner Bertha L. Downs, Capt. Falkinburg, arrived yesterday from Baltimore with a cargo of acid phosphate for the Pearsall Company; vessel to C. D. Maffitt.

The schooner Anthony D. Nichols, Capt. Seavey, arrived yesterday from Baltimore with a cargo of acid phosphate for the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company; vessel to C. D. Maffitt.

New silk and kid gloves, silk hose, black, tan and white, at Rehder's. **

EFFORTS VERY SUCCESSFUL

Board of Engineers Finally Decide to Improve Shallotte River—Further Work Later—Of Benefit to Wilmington

Of interest and importance to Wilmington as well as to Shallotte and that particular section of Brunswick county, came the information yesterday from Congressman H. L. Godwin, at Washington, that the efforts which have recently been made to have the United States Board of Engineers improve Shallotte river, from the town of Shallotte to the sea, had been successful, work to commence, it is believed here, as soon as the present rivers and harbors bill passes Congress and the money becomes available.

While the Board of Engineers only promised to give a four foot channel at mean low water, instead of six feet as asked for, and to expend only $15,000 or $10,000 instead of $20,000, as requested, it is believed that the work will not be allowed to stop and that appropriations will be made from time to time until in a few years the channel will have a depth of eight or ten feet. Information of the action of the board came in a letter from Congressman Godwin to Mr. W. A. Rourk, of Wilmington and Shallotte, as follows:

"Washington, D. C., April 4, 1912.

"Mr. W. A. Rourk, Shallotte, N. C.

"My Dear Sir:—Your favor of the 2nd instant in reference to Shallotte river has been received and noted. In reply, I beg to state that I appeared again before the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors this morning, and they have made a report as follows: The report has just been sent over to the Chief of Engineers providing for a channel of four feet depth at mean low water to the town of Shallotte, at a cost of from nine to ten thousand dollars. They tell me that there is a tide of five feet there, and this will afford continuously, seven or eight feet of water the year round, and more on high tide. I consider this a victory for us. However, it may not be what we want, but it seems that we will have to do with it for a while until we can do better. The chief point I desire to impress upon you is that we are committing the government to a definite, continuous project, after which we will have no more trouble, and can gradually secure a greater depth of water. Senator Simmons and I have worked very hard for this proposition and I feel this morning like our efforts have been more or less successful. I am sending a copy of this letter to our mutual friend, Mr. Robert Ruark, of Wilmington, as I am satisfied he will be glad to hear the news. He presented one of the most able arguments I have heard before the board. Very truly yours,

"H. L. GODWIN."

The news was welcome both here and at Shallotte and it means a great victory for the committee which went to Washington on March 15th and urged the Board of Engineers to make the improvement. The board had previously ruled against the project on the ground that the commerce of the river did not justify the expenditure. However, the committee, which was composed of Robt. Ruark, Esq., Messrs. W. A. Rourk and R. R. Stone, all of this city, was able to present such facts and figures as to cause the members of the board to change their mind. It is said that the commerce on the Shallotte river last year amounted to $300,000, this notwithstanding the fact that it was not considered a good year for turpentine and cotton, which are the chief articles shipped from that point. The proposed improvement of the river, which has the hearty endorsement of the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce, is of much importance to this city, as practically all the commerce of that section comes directly to Wilmington The Chamber of Commerce adopted resolutions favoring the project and these were presented to the Board of Engineers for consideration.

The proposed improvement of the river, according to the present scheme of the engineers, giving a depth of seven or eight feet at high water, will make it possible to operate a line of freight and passenger steamers between Wilmington and Shallotte. The commerce between the two points is now carried on by sail boats and the schedule is very uncertain due in a large measure to the shoals in the Shallotte river. It is hoped that the money will be available and the work begun within the next few months.

HORSE HAD TO BE KILLED

Animal Injured In Runaway on Market Street Yesterday

A small bay horse, of ancient design and appearance, feeling the festive spirit of Spring in its aged bones, ran away yesterday morning between 11 and 12 o'clock when coming down the Market street hill, and at Second and Market collided with a dray with the result that the animal was so badly injured that it had to be killed.

The horse and wagon belonged to Harry Grimm, a colored man of East Wilmingtn, and was in charge of a small negro boy at the time of the accident. The brakes did not hold the wagon back coming down the Market street hill, the animal started to run, colliding with a dray at the intersection of Second and Market streets. The horse was thrown to the ground and when it was seen that the animal was too badly injured to be able to get back on its feet a veterinarian was summoned. Dr. Thos. B. Carroll visited the horse and pronounced that its back was either broken or badly wrenched, and that it would have to be killed. Officer H. G. Bullard performed the execution with his revolver.

Eczema Cured in 10 to 30 Days

The Paris Medicine Co., 2624 Pine street, St. Louis, Mo., manufacturers of Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic and Laxative Bromo Quinine, have a new and wonderful discovery, GROVE'S SA-NARE CUTIS, which they guarantee to cure any case of ECZEMA, no matter of how long standing, in 10 to 30 days, and will refund money if it fails. This ointment is perfectly clean and does not stain. If your druggist hasn't it, send us 50c. in postage stamps and it will be sent by mail.

WILL OPEN MONDAY.

School at Church of Ascension to Start.—Other Work Planned.

Next Monday the school to be operated under the auspices of the Church of the Ascension, a branch of the Church of the Good Shepherd, in the Southern part of the city, and it is expected that it will be a success from the start. Work on the building has been rushed to completion, and everything will be in readiness for the opening.

A number of activities will be under the care of the mission, with the school as the most important feature for the present. It will be for the children too young for the public schools, or for those who live at too great a distance from the public institutions. Kindergarten and primary work, principally, will be conducted and children of from four to eight years of age, will be received and prepared for entrance into the public schools.

The first term will close about the same time that the city schools close, and for this term there will be no charge of admission. When the school opens next Fall a nominal tuition will be charged, the proceeds to go toward the purchasing of school materials, etc. All children in that section of the city are invited to enroll as students.

Another feature of the work will be a sewing circle to be held every Tuesday at 3 P. M. Everybody is invited to join this class and there is no age limit.

Thursday night of next week an illustrated lecture will be given at school and the first Sunday School session will be held April 14th, at 9:30 o'clock. The work will be in charge of the workers of the Church of the Good Shepherd.

ARGUMENT ON MOTION.

Injunction Matter to be Argued Before Judge Ferguson Soon.

An interesting matter to come up in the Superior Court the latter part of next week or the earlier part of the week following will be argument on the motion of the Atlantic Coast Line for an injunction restraining the Seaboard Air Line from continuing its extensive terminal improvements on 14 acres of land alleged to be jointly owned by the two roads near the Hilton bridge over the Northeast river. Several suits and counter suits have been filed by the two roads and the outcome of the litigation is a matter of the keenest interest to the people of Wilmington and many elsewhere.

The Coast Line secured a restraining order some weeks ago, ordering that the Seaboard discontinue its improvements on the lands in question until the motion for an injunction could be heard before Judge Ferguson at Burgaw last month. When the matter came up there it was, on account of the press of business, continued until this week or next, to be heard before Judge Ferguson here.

No date for the argument on the motion has been set as yet, and it was stated last night by one of the attorneys in the case that the progress made with the Holly case, now being tried, would have some bearing on the time of the hearing on the other matter. It is very likely that the matter will not come up before the latter part of next week, or the first of the week following.

Geo. G. Elliott, Esq., assistant general counsel for the Coast Line, and Rountree & Carr are appearing for the A. C. L., while the Seaboard is represented by Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy.

WANTED IN SOUTH CAROLINA.

Negro on New Hanover Roads Will Face Murder Charge.

Sheriff S. P. Cowan has received papers from Dillon county, South Carolina, for the arrest of William Chavis, colored, now serving a term of 12 months on the New Hanover county roads. The paper charges assault and battery with intent to kill upon Mary Chavis, supposedly the wife of the man wanted, and it sets forth that Chavis shot her a number of times with a pistol. It is understood that the woman died following the shooting and that the negro will be tried on the charge of murder in Dillon county.

Chavis will complete his term on the New Hanover roads the 12th of next month, and Sheriff Cowan has already notified the authorities to hold him. Upon the expiration of his term he will be brought to the city and placed in jail until an officer from South Carolina comes after him.

NEWS OF ATKINSON

Bank Begins Business Early in May—High School Closes

Mr. E. A. Hawes, of Atkinson, spent yesterday in the city. He said that the Bank of Atkinson, which was recently organized, will commence business on May 2nd. Mr. Hawes is president of the bank; Mr. J. T. Hoggard, vice president, and Mr. A. Costin, cashier.

Mr. Hawes said that the Atkinson High School, one of the best institutions of the kind in the State, closed a most successful year last Wednesday. The commencement sermon was delivered by Rt. Rev. Robt. Strange, of this city, Bishop of the Diocese of East Carolina. The annual address was made by Dr. E. W. Sikes, of Wake Forest College. The school has been under the direction of Prof. Teague, of Siler City, assisted by Prof. Womble, of Raleigh, and Misses Thompson and Plowden.

RANDLEMAN MAN MISSING

Possible That It Was His Body That Was Found In Cape Fear River

Having noticed in one of the State papers an account of the finding of the body of an unknown white man in shallow water on the Cape Fear river, just below Wilmington, last Sunday morning, Mr. J. C. Daniel, chief of police of Randelman, has written Dr. C. D. Bell, the coroner, for further information, as he thinks it possible that the body was that of S. F. Fogleman, who disappeared from Randleman about three weeks ago, leaving no word as to where he was going and no trace as to his whereabouts. Dr. Bell has been busy in court all the week and has not yet been able to secure the information sought by the Randleman officer, but will endeavor to do so within the next few days. A description of Fogleman is given in the letter.

"Disilluisoned."

Strong Selig darmatic story at the Grand today. One of the best yet. ad

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

Notice is hereby given that the Twelfth Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of The People's Savings Bank will be held at their banking rooms on Tuesday, April 9th, at 4:00 P. M., for the election of Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

J. HOLMES DAVIS, Cashier.

Figure This Out for Yourself

Would you not like to have your account with the bank having
Largest Capital Stock,
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Being the Oldest Bank in the City,

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ARBOR DAY OBSERVED

Interesting Exercises Held at School In District Eight Yesterday

With attractive and enjoyable exercises and a large attendance of friends and patrons of the school, Arbor Day was celebrated yesterday by the public school in District No. 8, Federal Point township, near Carolina Beach. Among the visitors was Prof. Washington Catlett, county superintendent of instruction; Miss Mary Lowder, teacher at Myrtle Grove, District No. 3; Miss Elizabeth Southerland, teacher in District No. 9, Carolina Beach. Many of the school children in District Nos. 3 and 9 were also in attendance. The following very enjoyable programme was carried out by the children:

Song and March—"America," with U. S. flags—Lottie Burnette, Elizabeth Burnette, Richard Burnette, Henry Williams, Katie Williams, Loyd Sanders, Winnie Sanders, Jessie Bonham, Sallie Williams, Agnes Biddle.

Recitation—"How to Make a Whistle"—Leroy Batson.

"Little Runaways"—Elizabeth Burnette, Walter Burnette, Richard Burnette, Jessie Bonham, Agnes Biddle, Lillian Biddle, John Bryan, Wesley Bryan. Trees—Katie Williams. Pine Tree Academy—Richard Burnette, Leroy Batson, Jessie Bonham, Agnes Biddle, Elizabeth Burnette, Wesley Bryan. Spring Queen—Lottie Burnette, Richard Burnette, Loyd Sanders, Winnie Sanders, Henry Williams, Wesley Bryan, John Bryan, Jessie Bonham, Walter Burnette, Agnes Biddle, Lillian Biddle, Sallie Williams. Plea of trees—Loyd Sanders, Richard Burnette, Walter Burnette, John Bryan, Wesley Bryan, Leroy Batson.

Following the rendition of the programme, Prof. Catlette was presented by the teacher, Miss Aleph Cason, and he made a most interesting and instructive address and was heard with greatest interest and pleasure by all. At the conclusion of the address the assemblage went out on the grounds where they planted trees with impressive ceremonies. At 1 o'clock dinner in good old-fashioned picnic style was served in the grove, bringing an altogether interesting and enjoyable day to a close.

WORK ON A. & R. RAILROAD.

The Fayetteville Observer of Yesterday says:

"Mr. W. A. Blue, of the Aberdeen & Rockfish Railroad, was in the city yesterday. He says that 80 convicts are now at work on the extension of the road to this city. The work was commenced the first of this week, and one mile of track from the junction near Rockfish has already been graded.

Change of Schedule Announced.

The Atlantic Coast Line announces the following changes of schedule effective April 8th: No. 50 from Florence and points south, will arrive at 12:30 A. M. instead of 11:59 P. M.; No. 65, from Newbern will arrive at 6:25 P. M. instead of 6:50; No. 63, from Newbern will arrive at 12:55 P. M., instead of 12:50; No. 62, for Newbern will leave Wilmington at 4:35 P. M. instead of 3:25.

If Your Head Aches You Can't Think Fast

To be alert, vigorous and think the right thing at the *right* time, you must not let headache become chronic, whether from heat, cold, stomach or nervousness.

Hicks' Capudine Stops Headache

It's liquid—pleasant to take and quickly effective.

Capudine removes cause of headache.

Capudine helps you to think clearly—10c, 25c, 50c at drug stores.

"The Easter Egg Idolatry."

"The Easter Egg Idolatry" will be the subject of Rev. J. P. King's sermon at Sixth Street Advent church tomorrow night. He announces that he will show that the people of the 20th century are still paying homage to false gods, and he invites all who are interested to be present. Services begin at 8 o'clock.

Great Display of Latest Spring Fashions; Now Ready for Your Selection.

WHEN you come to see us about clothes for Spring—we hope to see you soon—you're certain to be impressed with several things about our store, and our goods; and whether you buy your clothes here or somewhere else, we want you to know these things about us.

Good clothes are something men need; one of the things we want to tell you is that we appreciate how much it means to most of you to get good clothes; to get value for the money; to receive, when you buy, goods that are worth while. We have some knowledge about these things; it's natural that we should use that knowledge in your interest; there's no reason why we shouldn't use it in your interest. The result of so employing our knowledge of good clothes is a big stock of

Hart Schaffner & Marx

fine suits. We mention these particularly because we know they're the best clothes made; because they're better in style, in quality of materials, in tailoring, than any other clothes. If we didn't think so, we'd find clothes we did think so about.

Special Styles for Young Men.

You young men want stylish clothes; you're so particular about the distinction of fashion, the "snap," the extreme models, the lively patterns and colors, that maybe you've neglected a little the things back of the style. Being particular about style is a good thing; be particular. But if your clothes are half cotton, and cheaply tailored, where's your style going to be in a few weeks' wear?

Just think that over. We'll give you style all right; but better have style that stays stylish.

Special agency for Suits made to order by SMITH, GRAY & CO., 5th Ave., New York. Prices, $15.00 to $50.00.

THE A. DAVID CO.

This Store is the home of Hart, Schaffner & Marx clothes
J. B. Stetson Hats, Manhattan Shirts, etc.

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Convenient to the Traveling Public.

LARGE ROOMS & GOOD RESTAURANT SERVICE

Opposite Union Depot — Gieschen Bros. Props.

SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Dr. Geo. F. Lucas and daughter, Miss Annie, of Currie, were in the city yesterday.

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Miss Cassie Mintz left yesterday morning for Mount Olive to spend a few days with the family of her brother, Editor Fred R. Mintz, of the Mount Olive Tribune.

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All members and friends of Grace Methodist Church are invited to attend a praise service at 10:30 o'clock Easter Sunday morning to be held in the Sunday School under the auspices of the Epworth League.

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The annual Easter egg hunt of St. Agnes Guild will take place tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock on the yards at St. James' Church. This is an annual affair given by the ladies of St. James' Church, and is always largely attended by the children. An admission charge of five cents will be made which will entitle each child to two eggs. Candies, ice cream and cakes will also be on sale on the grounds. Every child in the city is invited to attend and it is hoped that the attendance will be large.

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The birthday party which was given by the Philathea Class of Trinity Methodist Sunday School, Thursday evening, at the home of Mr. E. V. McKenzie, 804 Dock street, was a social function of much interest. A crowd of merry young people gathered, delicious refreshments were served, and charming musical selections were interspersed, making the occasion a most delightful one. The birthday offerings amounted to $38.40. After deducting expenses they will have about $30 left for church work. The members of the class and the ladies who assisted them are highly pleased with the success that attended their efforts.

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The following invitations have been received by friends here and elsewhere:

Mrs. Ida C. Ward
requests your presence
at the marriage of her daughter
Ida Cora
to
Mr. William H. Andrews
April 11th, 1912,
at 6 o'clock P. M.
at the residence, No. 213 Grace street.
Wilmington, North Carolina.

Both young people are popular among a wide circle of friends and the announcement of their approaching marriage will be received with much interest.

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Many friends of Mrs. I. W. Faison, of Charlotte, in this city and section will read with interest the following from yesterday's Charlotte Observer:

"Mrs. I. W. Faison has had a second honor conferred on her. Aside from being appointed State chaperon by General Julian S. Carr, of Durham, for the 22nd annual reunion of the United Confederate Veterans, which occurs in Macon, Ga., May 7, 8, and 9, she has received word that she has been appointed matron of honor for the Army of Northern Virginia, Department U. C. V. Miss Louise Richardson, of Richmond, will be sponsor. Miss Ada Orie, of Charleston, and Miss Frances Wright, of Macon, will be maids of honor. The appointments were made by Maj. Gen. Robert White, commanding, Wheeling."

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Kinston, N. C., April 5.—The many friends of Miss Louise Weston were taken completely by surprise by her marriage to Mr. Samuel G. Griffin, of Nashville. The couple were to have been married in June, but yesterday Mr. Griffin came to the city and pressed an immediate wedding so ardently that the bride secured her release from the faculty of the Kinston school, donned a traveling suit, and was married by a hastily-summoned minister and, with the groom was en route to the depot before hardly anyone was cognizant of the marriage. The bride one of this section's most popular, pretty and accomplished young women, is a daughter of Mrs. H. L. Weston, of LaGrange, and a sister of Mrs. H. E. Moseley, of Kinston. She has been teaching in the city schools for some time. The groom is a well known business man of Nashville. The couple will reside in the Nash county town, where Mr. Griffin is connected with banking and other interests.

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SOROSIS ARRANGE FOR PURE FOOD EXHIBIT

Besides the election of officers, as given in yesterday's Star, the North Carolina Sorosis in regular monthly session Thursday afternoon transacted considerable business of interest. It was to hold a Pure Food Exhibit some time early in May under the auspices of Sorosis for the purpose of giving the public information relative to the use of foods.

Dr. Chas. T. Nesbitt, city superintendent of health, and the State and city chemists are to aid in this work. There will also be a demonstration of short weights and measures.

Each district of the State Federation of Women's Clubs is to have a Rally Day before the annual meeting of the Federation in May, and for this Sorosis has issued invitations to six clubs of this district for April 18th. Mrs. R. R. Cotten, of Greenville, State President, expects to be present. The following delegates were appointed to attend the annual meeting of the State Federation of Clubs to be held at Winston-Salem, May 7th, 8th, 9th and 10th. Mrs. W. G. Bannerman, Mrs. J. W. Yates, Mrs. Andrew Howell and Mrs. Rahm; alternates, Mrs. C. C. Covington, Mrs. W. H. Parsley, Jr., and Mrs. M. H. Shepherd. Miss Gibson will attend this meeting as an ex-president of the State Federation, and at this meeting will make an address before the convention. Mrs. M. L. Stover will also attend as State chairman of the Department of Education.

Puts End to Bad Habit.

Things never look bright to one with "the blues". Ten to one the trouble is a sluggish liver, filling the system with bilious poison, that Dr. King's New Life Pills would expel. Try them. Let the joy of better feelings end "the blues". Best for stomach, liver and kidneys. 25c. R. R. Bellamy.

New white shirt waists, 98c. New white pique skirts at $2.50 at Rehder's. **

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Messrs. E. A. Hawes, of Atkinson, and T. H. Wells, of Burgaw, were in the city yesterday.

—Mr. R. S. White, a prominent attorney of Elizabethtown, was in Wilmington yesterday on legal business.

—Mr. E. G. Carrier, of Scott's Hill, was in the city yesterday, having recently returned from Florida, where he has been spending the winter.

—Mr. T. H. Wells, of Burgaw, was a visitor to the city yesterday. Mr. Wells is a candidate in the Third Congressional District for delegate to the Democratic National convention to be held in Baltimore in June.

—Mr. Joseph Sharrock has secured through Mr. R. N. Sweet, agent in Wilmington of the Cunard Line, passage from New York to England on the steamship Carmania. He will return August 3rd on the Campania.

Messrs. David H. Scott and Newton Fisher sail from New York June 8th, for Glasgow on the steamship Columbia and will return early in August on the Cameronia, of the Anchor Line, of which Mr. R. N. Sweet is agent in this city.

—Among the arrivals at The Southern yesterday were: S. E. Pridgen and W. H. Pridgen, Currie; H. W. Goodwin, Jr., Point Caswell; W. C. Jones, Charlotte; W. M. Thompson, Jacksonville, N. C.; E. N. Pait, Bladenboro; E. J. O'Hara and son, Florence, S. C.

—Among yesterday's guests at The Orton were H. C. Mosley, Greensboro; S. H. Glover, Winston; W. M. Wilkes, Raleigh; E. P. Noyes, Jr., Fort Caswell; Floyd Johnson, Cerro Gordo; Dr. J. T. Haggard, Atkinson; P. H. Heash, D. H. Bridgers, E. M. Cook, Magnolia.

LOCAL DOTS.

—By deed filed for record yesterday the Southern Realty & Development Company transfers to C. M. Adkins, for $100 and other considerations, lots 327 and 328 in Lake Side Park.

—Jim Corbett, an insane negro, was brought to the city yesterday by Sheriff J. J. Knox, of Brunswick county, and will be taken to the asylum at Goldsboro this morning.

—Through error the name of Valeria Duke, of Sophomore Class II, who secured a place on the hoonr roll for the past two months, did not appear in the list with the others in yesterday's Star.

—Pender Chronicle, Burgaw: "Dr. Nesbitt, the health officer of Wilmington, is certainly trying to protect the people down there from themselves in the matter of health. He is perfectly right."

—Preaching services will be held at the East Wilmington school house tomorrow night and each Sunday night hereafter. Mr. M. O. Alexander, assistant pastor of the First Baptist Church, will conduct the services.

—It was erronecusly stated in yesterday's issue that the Boy Scout patrol organized among the boys of the First Baptist Church, was the first to be organized in any of the churches in the city. A patrol was organized among the boys of the Church of the Good Shepherd several months ago.

—Acting on the request of the Wilmington School Board, the Immanuel Presbyterian Sunday School has cancelled its acceptance of the invitation of the Tidewater Power Company for a picnic next month. The board made the request on the ground that picnics in May demoralize the work of the schools.

—Officer R. S. Haddock, an efficient and exceedingly popular member of the local police force, has tendered his resignation, to take effect April 10th, and after that date will act as gateman at the union station here. His friends will be glad to know that he is to remain in the city and to continue to serve in a public capacity.

—Palmer Rogers, a young white man who is said to be from Latta, S. C., was taken into custody yesterday morning by Patrolman R. S. Haddock, on a charge of nuisance, and is being held at the City Hall. It was stated that the man is apparently mentally deranged and that he will be held for an investigation by the Clerk of the Superior Court.

MR. P. Q. MOORE RETIRES.

Sells His Interest in Firm of Roger Moore's Sons & So.

Councilman P. Q. Moore has sold his interest in the builders' supply and brick manufacturing business of Roger Moore's Sons & Co., to his brother, Mr. Roger Moore, and Mr. Frank R. King, both of whom have been associated with the business heretofore. The change was announced yesterday. Councilman Moore has not yet decided what business he will enter, but he is known as one of the city's most successful and progressive young business men and will no doubt make a success of whatever line he goes into. The firm from which he retires has been in business here for the past 10 or 12 years, succeeding the late Col. Roger Moore.

TO PALE THIN PEOPLE.

Druggist J. Hicks Bunting Offers to Pay for Samose if It Does Not Make Thin People Fat.

Pale, thin people are simply suffering from want of nourishment. They may eat enough, but their food is not properly digested and does them no good.

Samose, the remarkable flesh forming food should be used by all who are pale, weak and thin. It mingles with the food and aids assimilation, so that when taken for a short time, nature will soon assert her normal powers, and the food that is eaten will give strength and good flesh.

The woman who longs for rosy cheeks and the plumpness of beauty should use Samose. The man who wants to be strong and well and gain health and good flesh will find his desires accomplished by Samose.

Such remarkable results have followed the use of Samose that Druggist J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co., are willing to pay for the treatment if it does not give the desired results. They make this offer generally and want all who are thin, weak and out of health to get a box of Samose from them on those terms.

"Funeral That Flashed in the Pan."

One of the well known "Siwash" comedies, at the Grand today. A feature. **

Ladies' Easter neckwear at Rehder's Big Department store. **

..Theatrical..

Monday—Easter Monday—the Academy will make an unusually interesting offering and one that will appeal to all classes, and that should be seen; not only on account of the interest that attaches to the subject, but as a matter of big information. The Academy will at special matinee, commencing at 3:30 o'clock and again at night at 8 and 9:15 o'clock, present the original moving pictures of raising the ill-fated American battleship Maine in the harbor of Havana. This will be an unusually strong offering and will, no doubt, draw large audiences.

The pictures are having not only an extensive run in New York city and Washington, D. C., but in every city of any importance in the United States. They were taken and are being exhibited by special permission of the United States government. Private exhibition of these pictures have been given before the Navy Department, the President and Cabinet, the Yacht Club of New York and numerous other organizations, where in every instance they have been received with great enthusiasm and occasioned much favorable comment. As an event in history the films are of international importance, and as an engineering accomplishment, the work done in raising the ship is credited as being one of the greatest achievements konwn.

Narodny Tuesday Night

Mme. Mieler-Narodny is an ardent advocate of woman's suffrage and as such she has had much experience. A dozen of her country women are lawmakers in the Finnish Congress and before the woman's suffrage was declared in Finland, she participated in the great campaign at home. Soon upon her arrival in New York she joined the movement and began to do the same in America that she had done at home. But soon she realized that the American conditions were in many ways very different from those in Russia. The women, especially those in New York, started a campaign that she found contrary to her womanly feeling, such as the imitation of militant English suffragettes.

"I do not sympathize with the exaggerated suffragettes," said Mme. Narodny, 'who apply sensational methods and masculine manners.' The women in Finland and Russia are different in this point and did their work quietly without any noise. But think the women should have an opportunity to vote, like men, if they want. But principally, I think, a woman's place is in her home and the aesthetic side, but not the intellectual and political stage. What the women need most of all, is less egotism, more emotions and feeling. A woman should remain a mother and a man the father."

Seats for the recital will go on sale at Plummer's Monday. The prices run but to $1.00.

Madame Narodny April 10th.

Madam Maria Mieler Narodny, who is to sing in a recital, assisted by Inga Hoegsbro, the famous Scandinavian pianist, April 10th, in Wilmington, is with her repertoire a great novelty in this country, because most of it will be devoted to the Finnish music, only one-third filled with the Russian and German modern composers. As that represents Finnish music is best illustrated by the words of the singer who says:

"Finland, the so-called 'Land of a Thousand Lakes,' and the land of snow and rocks, which for its intensive national progress has become a thorn in the side of Russia, has suddenly loomed into prominence in music. It must be true as the poet says, 'The anguish of the singer makes the beauty of the strain,' for the pent-up feelings of the Finnish people have gushed forth in a veritable flood of the most original and powerful compositions. A true Finn is never so happy as when trolling out the most weird and lugubrious strains that proceed straight from his soul. Jean Sibelius, Oskar Merikanto and Armas Jarnefelt are the leading creators of today's music in Finland.

"The fundamental elemtents of the modern national Finnish music are utterly different from those of most of the other civilized nations. Those who do not know that Finns are a Mongolian race, related to the Tartars, Chinese and Japanese, associate the Finnish music with that of Scandinavia and Russia. But the Finns are just a litle related to Russians and Scandinavians, as the Anglo-Saxons are related to the Indians. The Finns and Esthonians, who inhabit the northern shores of the Baltic Sea in the empire of the Czar, emigrated about the time of Caesar from Siberia, and have miraculously kept their national traits, language and Mongolian character. At the time of imigration they had a highly developed mythology, which, according to the epics of Kalevala and Kalevipoeg, was equal to that of Greeks. Vainemoinen, the Finnish and Esthonian god of music, is far more picturesque and poetic than Orpheus. To Vanemoinen is attributed the origin of the National music, which he played on his golden harp, and all the creations of the modern Finnish composers are based on their mythology, the folk-songs, the hymns, the National dances. All the Finnish music is in some way Oriental, weird, poetic, yet full of northern ruggedness and power. It suggests the mysterious atmosphere of aurora borealis, the sweet flute of a fairy, and the rich fantasy of Kalevala. The most popular composer in Finland is Oskar Merikanto, whose songs 'Kiksi laulan' and 'Pai pai paitaressu.' are the most beautiful creations of the country, both of which are included in my repertoire. While a guest of Merikanto at his romantic Summer residence at Kantola I asked him why Finnish music was so different from other music.

"'Because it is based on the soul of the people,' he replied. 'We have succeeded in isolating our art and spirit from every influence of modern realism, prevailing in the European music of today. With our music everything is symbolistic, mystic and spiritual.'

"'Do you think that your music has a great educational influence upon a nation?' I asked.

"'Our history gives you the best reply', he replied. 'The Finns are an original, healthy and poetic nation, with lofty ideas, which they owe to a great extent to their musical education and love of music. Music has enobled, inspired our nation and given us courage to endure every hardship and still feel happy. I am certain a Finn would commit suicide if you should forbid him to sing.'

"'Do you have in Finland what is called "ragtime" music in America?' I interrupted.

"'I think the American ragtime music is the limit of musical degeneracy,' he replied. 'A producer of such a music would truly be deported as a criminal from Finland. A gradual musical education and love of poetry have educated the people. Music lessons are considered the most important part of our educational programme. There are at least a thousand musical societies and amateur orchestras throughout Finland. There are only three million Finns, but from those three million, two millions, nine hundred thousand have a musical education and sing or play. Music is practically a second religion of Finns.'

"My idea with singing mostly Finnish songs in this country is to inspire the American concert audiences to appreciate only a healthy and powerful music like the Finns have, for as much as I was a true Finn patriotically, I am intended to be a true American here."

Madam Narodny will give before her recital a short talk of her dramatic experience in the Russian prinon and explain the theme of the songs she is going to sing. While in Wilmington, she is to be a guest at the home of Mr. Hugh MacRae. She will arrive Tuesday morning, April 9th.

At the Grand.

"A Funeral That Flashed in the Pan", and "Disallusioned," an Edison and a Selig film, respectively, will furnish the chief amusement and pastime at the Grand today. "The Funeral That Flashed in the Pan" is a story taken from "At Good Old Siwash," by Clyde Fitch. The Siwash stories are familiar to every reader of the leading magazines and picture college life from an angle that is nothing short of ridiculous. This story has to do with the pranks of seven Siwash boys who on account of bad conduct have been barred from all forms of amusement. A football game in a neighboring town brings to their minds an incident where a student boy got a vacation on account of a funeral and a bright idea strikes them. One of their number is persuaded to "die to order" and the news is telegraphed to the professor. The plan works gloriously for acme time, but complications that had not been well planned for set in, and the most ridiculous situations imaginable are brought about. This film is one of the humorous features of the season and will please everyone. "Disillusioned" is a Selig drama of great power and tells a strong story. There will also be a third picture to complete the programme. Monday the great fairy story of "Cinderella" produced in three reels, will be presented as the feature of the coming week. This will, indeed, be a treat, and should be witnessed by everyone, the little ones especially.

Baseball This Afternoon.

What promises to be a most interesting game of baseball will be played this afternoon at Hilton Park between Companies A and B, of the Boys' Brigade. The game will be called at 3 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend. The line-up will be as follows: Company A: Lacy, catcher; Duls, pitcher; Davis, first base; King, second base; Hanson, third base; Brittain, shortstop; George Bornemann, left field; Irving, centerfield; L. Bornemann, right field. Company B: Wilson, catcher; Yopp, pitcher; E. Register, first base; Huhn, second base; Dixon, third base, H. Register, shortstop; Branch, left field; McCartney, center field; Gerdes, right field.

Capt. Monroe Receives Orders.

Assistant Fire Chief W. P. Monroe, regimental commissary sergeant of the Second North Carolina infantry, has received an order from Adjutant Gen. R. L. Leinster, detailing him for duty April 13th-17th, inclusive, in connection with the camp of instruction for rifle practice and competition by teams of the Second Infantry and Coast Artillery Corps at Goldsboro. The matches to be held at the contest in Goldsboro will determine the members of the North Carolian National Guard who will be sent to compete in the National contests to be held at Camp Perry, Ohio.

GOV. FOSS WITHDRAWS.

Takes His Name Off Presidential Primary Ballot.

Boston, Mass., April 4.—Governor Eugene N. Foss withdrew his name tonight from the Presidential preference primary ballot. In a letter accompanying the withdrawal addressed to Chairman Riley, of the Democratic State Committee, he asks that delegate candidates pledged to him consider themselves as unpledged.

In explanation of his action Governor Foss says he had learned with regret that representatives of one or more of the avowed candidates for President were preparing to withdraw their names from the primary ballot out of courtesy to him. He asks that the representatives be urged to permit the names of their candidates to remain, as if only one name appeared no chance would be given for an expression of popular preference, which would defeat the purpose of the preferential primary.

The withdrawal of the name of Governor Foss leaves two candidates, Woodrow Wilson and Champ Clark, on the Democratic Presidential preference ballot. Still another day remains, however, in which candidates may withdraw.

Sure Way to Remove Freckles and Eruptions

(From Fashion Record.)

Some women have skin of such texture they occasionally are annoyed by the sudden appearance of freckles, slight eruptions or fine lines. At such times if one will procure an ounce of common mercolized wax, apply this before retiring, like cold cream, she can easily overcome the trouble. When the wax is washed off next morning, flaky skin particles come with it. The entire cuticle is removed in this way in about a week, with all its defects. No bleach could so completely remove every freckle or blemish. The new surface is smooth, clear, fresh looking. No pain or inconvenience accompanies this simple treatment.

In case of wrinkles which sink beneath the outer skin, a solution of saxolite, 1 oz., dissolved in 1-2 pint witch hazel, makes an effective face bath.

Buy your Easter hat, suit, shoes and neckwear at Rehder's. **

Abraham Lincoln Said:

"No library is complete without two certain books—The Bible and Shakespeare; hardly a quotation is used in literature that is not taken from one of these books."..... ....

There is one book in all the world that never grows old. It is a book which every man, woman, boy and girl should possess as his or her individual property. It is the greatest book in the world, not alone on account of the lessons it teaches and the good it has brought into the world, but also on account of its literary style and excellence.

This greatest book in the world is the Holy Bible.

It is our good fortune to be able to offer one of the latest and most beautiful editions of this grand book to the readers of The Morning Star on a plan that is easily within the reach of all.

We have just contracted for the largest shipment of Bibles ever brought to Wilmington. We got them at the lowest net factory price, direct from the country's largest Bible publishers.

We are prepared to offer this Bible in either Protestant or Catholic Edition—the only Catholic Bible at Popular price, which has the published endorsement of the Church.

Every home needs a Bible, and one of convenient size. To appreciate this great book it does not necessarily mean that one must be a church member or a religious man or woman, but it should be available for everyone and often referred to, and often read here and there as the most interesting of all books, as the book under the teachings of which the wonderful development of civilization has been accomplished. It matters not how many Bibles you may now have, you will also need this ILLUSTRATED Bible, which ILLUMINATES—i.e., "throws light upon"—the particular text selected for illustration, and is beyond a doubt the most beautiful edition of the Bible ever published.

Events that have been imperfectly comprehended become invested with the charm of living realty and places that have seemed far off are made familiar, as though we ourselves had trod the hills and valleys of these historic lands. It may be truthfully said that this really superb book of books has an important mission to perform, in illuminating and vivifying the Bible narrative and giving it, as never before, a present, living, human interest.

The Bible is bound in full flexible limp leather, with overlapping covers and title stamped in gold, with numerous full page plates in colors, from the world-famous Tissot collection, together with 600 superb pictures, graphically illustrating and making plain the verse in the light of modern Biblical knowledge and research. The text conforms to the authorized version, selfpronouncing, with marginal references and maps; printed on thin Bible paper, flat, opening at all pages; beautiful, readable type.

Every subscriber in Wilmington is invited to call and examine a copy of this wonderful book.

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WILMINGTON STAR COMPANY
Wilmington, N. C.

Washington, April 2.—The four Senators from the new States of Arizona and New Mexico were sworn into office at 2:10 P. M. today. The credentials of Senators Catron and Fall, of New Mexico, were presented respectively by Senators Warren, of Wyoming, and Smith, of Michigan, and Smith and Ashurst, of Arizona, by Senators Shively, of Indiana and Culberson, of Texas. Senators Catron and Ashurst were chosen to serve until 1917; Fall until 1913, and Smith until 1915.

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Financial and Commercial

THE WEEKLY COTTON REVIEW

Cotton Closed Active as a Result of Disastrous Floods Which Have Retarded Crop Preparations.

New York, April 5.—Cotton closed active at a sharp advance, owing to disastrous floods in the Mississippi river, fears of further high water in that river and smaller rivers of the South, whereby crop work may be retarded. There was heavy buying on Thursday by Wall Street, Waldorf-Astoria and Memphis interests for both sides of the account. Earlier in the week speculation was dull and prices had no decided drift either way. Though many things in the situation are regarded as favorable to the bulls, some factors have not inured to their advantage. For instance, the English coal strike settlement for days has hung fire. Then the weather of late has improved. And certain large interests have either been liquidating or have opposed an advance in the belief that as there is still considerable cotton to be marketed a rise at this stage of the season would probably not be permanent. At the same time these interests are believed to be bullish for what is popularly termed the long pull. Liverpool's market has not been very encouraging as a rule.

Its spot sale have been small. That market is supposed to be rather heavily long. There are those, too, who think that the English spinning demand for the time being has been pretty well satisfied. Lancashire no doubt, is doing a good business on old orders, but apparently new business is rather quiet. Texas crop and weather news has been in the main favorable. With milder temperatures and less rain, field work has pretty much everywhere been pushed with vigor to make up for lost time.

Many are bullish on the idea that the unprecedented floods in the South will further delay crop work, and that the weight of the crop is off the market. Dry goods trade is expanding rapidly at advancing prices. The next crop is likely to have a late start. That will tend to aggravate the vicissitudes through which every crop must pass. Some large bulls who have been selling out May and July are credited with buying October and December. Powerful interests are still arrayed on the bull side and are merely biding their time. Stocks at counted and uncounted towns are rapidly dwindling. It is believed that interior stocks are not much, if any, larger than they were a year ago. It is also believed that if there should be a serious decrease in the coming crop, nothing could prevent a very marked advance in prices. A commercial newspaper says that the coming acreage is likely to be decreased 20 per cent. making it 28,343,000 acres. The government made it last year 35,000,000 and the Chronicle 37,581,000.

Today the exchange was closed as usual on Good Friday.

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Holiday; net receipts, 5,458; gross receipts, 5,458; stock, 252,079; Great Britain, 6,668; continent, 3,704.

New Orleans—Net receipts, 6,192; gross receipts, 6,292; stock, 153,529; coastwise, 173.

Mobile—Net receipts, 1,114; gross receipts, 1,114; stock, 28,743; coastwise, 103.

Savannah—Net receipts, 5,329; gross receipts, 5,329; stock, 146,241; coastwise, 3,637.

Charleston—Net receipts, 882; gross receipts, 882; stock, 31,393; coastwise, 650.

Wilmington—Net receipts, 896; gross receipts, 896; stock, 14,320; coastwise, 200.

Norfolk—Not received.

Baltimore—Not received.

New York—Not received.

Boston—Holiday; net receipts, 645; gross receipts, 971; stock, 8,903.

Philadelphia—Not received.

Gulfport—Net receipts, 222; gross receipts, 222; stock, 20,273.

Brunswick—Net receipts, 1,461; gross receipts, 1,461; stock, 600; coastwise, 861.

Texas City—Net receipts, 518; gross receipts, 518; stock, 3,842; Great Britain, 8,317.

San Francisco—Net receipts, 1,628; gross receipts, 1,628; Japan, 1,628.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Holiday; net receipts, 4,808; gross receipts, 4,808; shipments, 7,269; stock, 80,518.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 810; gross receipts, 810; shipments, 271; stock, 11,289.

Little Rock—Holiday; stock, 22,049.

Louisville—Firm, 11; net receipts, 234; gross receipts, 234; shipments, 19; sales, 285; stock, 300.

CHICAGO GRAIN

Chicago, April 5.—Crop damage reports were used with effect today in bringing about higher prices for wheat. Nebraska in particular joined the bunch of States that sent in complaints of growth having been stunted or killed. Closing figures were 1-8 to 1-4 to 3-8 above last night. Corn finished unchanged to 1-8 to 1-4c. up, oats at 1-8 to 1-4 advance and provisions with a decline of 7 1-2 to 12 1-2 cent.

Wheat—No. 2, red, 1.02@1.04½; No. 3, red, 99@1.03½; No. 2, hard, 1.02¾@1.06; No. 3, hard, 98@1.03; No. 1, Northern, 1.08@1.12; No. 2, Northern, 1.08@1.10; No. 3, Northern, 1.06@1.10; No. 2, Spring, 98½@1.07; No. 3, Spring, 96@1.06; No. 4, Spring, 90@1.02; velvet chaff, 89@1.07; durum, 89@1.05.

Corn—No. 3, yellow, 74½@75; No. 3, white, 76¼@76¾; No. 3, yellow, 75½@76¾; No. 4, 72½@74¼; No. 4, white, 74@75¼; No. 4, yellow, 73½@75.

Oats—No. 2, white, 56@56¾; No. 3, white, 55¼@56; No. 4, white, 54½@56; standard, 55¾@56¼.

	Close.
Wheat:	
May	103⅜
July	96⅞
Sept	95¼
Corn:	
May	76⅝
July	75½
Sept	74½
Oats:	
May	55⅜
July	50⅜
Sept	42¾
Pork:	
May	17.07
July	17.45
Sept	17.82
Lard:	
May	9.85
July	10.02
Sept	10.20
Short Ribs:	
May	9.62
July	9.80
Sept	10.00

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Schr. Bertha L. Downs, 606 tons, Falkinburg, Baltimore, C. D. Mafflitt.

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Fred. A. Davenport, 634 tons, Blake, C. D. Mafflitt.

Schr. Edward R. Baird, Jr., 238 tons, Colburn, C. D. Mafflitt.

Stephen G. Loud, 409 tons, Graham, C. D. Mafflitt; in distress.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at Port of Wilmington.

Wilmington, N. C., April 5th.

Atlantic Coast Line—687 bales cotton; 8 barrels tar; 6 barrels crude turpentine.

Seaboard Air Line—159 bales cotton.

Str. Whitlock—1 cask spirits turpentine; 23 barrels rosin.

Str. Lisbon—6 barrels tar.

Str. Lyon—38 barrels tar.

Total—846 bales cotton; 1 cask spirits turpentine; 23 barrels rosin; 52 barrels tar; 6 barrels crude turpentine.

Total Last Year—36 bales cotton; 5 casks spirits turpentine; 40 barrels rosin; 25 barrels tar.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, April 5.

No quotations—holiday.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin, nothing doing; tar, firm, $2.00; crude turpentine, firm, at $4.50@$6.00.

Spirits Turpentine	1
Rosin	23
Tar	32
Crude Turpentine	6

Receipts same day last year, 5 casks spirits turpentine; 40 barrels rosin; 25 barrels tar.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Holiday.

Same day last year, nothing doing.

Receipts, 846 bales; same day last year, 36 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, April 4.)

CORN—Firm; 92½@95c. per bu.

PEAS—White, $2.50 per bu. Mixed, $1.50 to $1.60.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, $1.25 per bu.; nice yams, 75c. to 90c. per bu.

BEEF—On foot, dull, .03@.04 per lb.; dressed, 8c.

PORK—8c.@9c.

WOOL—Burry, .11@.12c. per lb.; free of burr, 16c. per lb.

HIDES—Green, .08 to .08½ per lb.; dry, 14 to 15c. per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, old 16c. per lb; sides and shoulders, 12½c.@13c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm; 27 per lb.

TALLOW—Firm; .04½@.05 per lb.

POULTRY—Turkeys, 10c. on foot; dressed, 20@22; dull. Chickens, grown, 40 to 45c. per head; chickens, Spring, 20@35c. per head. Geese, 65c. per head.

SHEEP—No sales.

EGGS—Dull, 15c. to 16c.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, April 3.

Market weaker on North Carolinas. Spanish and Virginias, steady.

North Carolinas—Farmers' stock: Prime hand-picked, 80@85c.; machine-picked, 70@75c.

Spanish—Prime hand-picked $1.00; machine-picked, 95c.

Virginia—Prime hand-picked, 80c.; machine-picked, 75c.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

Petersburg, Va., April 1.—Spanish—Market, firm. Farmers' Spanish, 97½c. per bushel. Jumbo Spanish, 92½c. per bushel. No. 1, Shelled Spanish, 5½c. per lb. No. 2, Shelled Spanish, 4c. per lb. Virginias—Market, firm. Fancy Jumbo, 4c. to 4¼c. per lb. Fancy Hand-Picked, 3¾c. per lb.; Extra Prime, 3½c. per lb.; Prime, 3½c. per lb.; Machine-Picked, 3c. to 3½c. per lb.; Shelling Stock, 2½c. to 3c. per lb.

DUN'S REVIEW OF TRADE

Both Business Confidence and Strength Continues to Grow

New York, April 5.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly Review of Trade tomorrow will say:

The growth of business confidence which is so plainly in evidence may be greater than the growth in business activity, but the latter steadily increases and is, moreover, supported by substantial contributions to the soundness of general conditions. The better sentiment prevailing in most of the markets is clearly revealed in the reports which come from the different sections of the country and notably from the leading centers of the West and South. It is accentuated by constantly improving conditions making for good crops, by the steady expansion in the principal trades and by the removal, one by one, of causes of uncertainty. It is significant that while the number of commercial failures the first quarter of the year was large, there was plain proof of expanding investment and a notable increase in the output of new securities and short-term notes in the same period.

The forward movement in iron and steel is illustrated by a pronounced gain in the output of pig iron during March. New business is enlarging at a gratifying pace. Production of finished material continues at a good rate, with some strengthening in the quotations of several lines. Tin plate mills are busier and the demand for sheets has broadened, while the market for plates, structural material and steel bars has improved and numerous inquiries are reported for steel cars.

While the cotton goods markets are slightly less active, demand for spot goods continues steady and prices rule very firm, with jobbers doing a much better business than at this time a year ago. Cotton goods for immediate delivery are scarce, with a steady increase in values. Export trade is very large. In woolen goods there is a broad distribution of staple products. Several advances were made in overcoatings and worsted suitings. Both woolen and cotton yarns are very firm and silks for Fall are being ordered in a moderate way.

A better tone marks the footwear market, but trading is not active as yet.

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Special Easter sale on shoes today at Rehder's big department store. **

WANTS FINDINGS PUBLISHED

National Lumber Manufacturers' Association Asks Taft to Give Out Conclusions of Department's Investigation

Washington, April 5.—Its demand upon President Taft for publication of conclusions of the Department of Commerce and Labor upon its investigation of the lumber manufacturing business, ordered by Congress in 1906, was made public today by the National Lumber Manufacturers' Association, with other correspondence between President Taft and the Secretary of the Department of Commerce and Labor.

This somewhat unusual attitude on the part of a great manufacturing industry is in the form of a petition which sets forth that the delay in reporting the findings of the department has tended to confirm the public in the opinion that a "lumber trust" exists in the manufacturing side of the lumber business, and has greatly accentuated the attacks upon that industry.

"We, representing many citizens of the United States, who are entitled to justice at the hands of the government, and to that justice which is doubly admirable if prompt," says the memorial, "petition you to have made public at the earliest possible moment the whole conclusion of the Department of Commerce and Labor as to the principal question put to it by the Congressional resolutions, that the people of this country may no longer have to depend for their opinion as to the lumber-producing industry upon insinuations, unverified charges, suspicion or prejudice."

On receipt of the statement and petition of the lumber men, President Taft referred the complaint to Secretary Nagel, who furnished the President with a reply. This reply states the position of the administration in the matter. The lumber manufacturers, upon receiving the letter from the Secretary of Commerce, made another appeal to President Taft, saying:

"We hope, Mr. President, notwithstanding the present attitude of the administration, as expressed by the Honorable Secretary, that you will promote the prompt justice asked for by a body of the citizenship now, as they verily believe, misunderstood and grievously maligned."

In the petition, reference is made to the fact that while the Department of Commerce and Labor made public February 13th, 1911, a partial report on the lumber industry, it related only to the private ownership of standing timber, in the United States, and advanced only one of the reasons for the alleged high price of lumber; that this partial report ignored the request of Congress to report particularly as to the existence of combinations, etc., in restraint of trade and therefore failed to give the lumber producers the verdict which they asked for at a conference with the President, Secretary Nagel and Commissioner Smith in Washington, January 12th, 1910.

"Prices of lumber at the mills," says the petition, "advanced during the seven years from 1899 to 1906, about thirty-eight per cent. This corresponded with the advance in other commodities which enter so greatly into the cost of labor, and in part to the increased values of stumpage.

"Prices to the consumer in some sections of the country remote from lumber-producing sections, advanced probably a still greater proportion due in part to the exhaustion of near supplies, making necessary the payment of greatly increased transportation charges.

"Notwithstanding these sufficient reasons it is charged and seems to have been commonly believed that the increase in prices at the mills was due to the existence of controlling combinations or agreements commonly known as 'trusts' and that the 'lumber trust' was and is an oppressive entity."

The petition then says that responsive to public charges Congress adopted resolutions for an investigation of the lumber business. Attention is particularly called to the fact that the resolutions required that the investigation should be conducted with "the particular object" of ascertaining the existence of any combination, conspiracy, trust, agreement or contract in restraint of commerce.

The petition says further that while the effect of these resolutions was injurious to the lumber industry, the investigation was welcomed by lumber producers "who had long been restive under the loose unfounded and ignorant charges made against them," and that every assistance to the investigation was given.

"With this active and hearty co-operation of the lumber industry it was felt that the inquiry should produce early results." On the contrary, says the petition, it was not until February 13, 1911, more than four years after the passage of the resolution, that any report whatever was made by the commissioner of corporations, who had charge of this investigation under the Secretary of the Department of Commerce and Labor. The petition calls attention to the fact that this report was only a partial one, and failed to give the lumber producers the verdict they desired.

The petition closes with an urgent request that the "charges against the lumber manufacturers of the United States be as promptly brought to a conclusion as seem likely to be those against lumber dealers who have been brought into court."

Secretary Nagel, in transmitting to the President the answer to the lumber men's complaint, says the report of the Bureau of Corporations was not only important and relevant to the issue involved in the resolutions of Congress, but that the amount of standing timber, Secretary Nagel says the Buownership were absolutely essential to the discussion of the questions involved. The Secretary says the bureau found a wholly unexpected and very remarkable degree of concentration of standing timber. It thus applied a second and absolutely essential basic fact in the discussion of lumber prices.

The Secretary says the Bureau of Corporations has, considering the magnitude of the task, supplied necessary facts as rapidly as possible; that it is now carrying on also an investigation into competitive methods, a report on which will be presented as soon as possible. Referring further to the statement of the lumber men that the first and only report made by the Department of Commerce and Labor was the report in 1911 on standing timber. Secretary Nagel says the Bureau has also for some time been carrying on investigations into the actual course of the prices of lumber, and this too will be presented as soon as finished. Incidentally Mr. Nagel points out the difficulty of gathering this information.

Secretary Nagel says, in reply to the demand for a verdict, that it would be wholly impracticable for the Bureau and entirely outside of its jurisdiction, to render a verdict on the existence of the so-called lumber trust or conspiracy in restraint of trade; that the question is strictly a legal one. Any attempt on the part of the Bureau of Corporations, says the Secretary, to make such a finding of guilty or not guilty, would be an absurdity in itself, and would establish a most embarrassing precedent.

Manager Bronson, in the letter to President Taft, under date of March 1st, takes up seriatim the subjects as stated and commented on by the Secretary, and says that notwithstanding the importance of the inquiry as to standing timber, it is not responsive to the part of the Senate resolution that the investigation of the lumber industry should be conducted with the particular object of ascertaining the existence of any combination, conspiracy, trust agreement, or contract in restraint of commerce.

Manager Bronson expresses the hope that the investigation into competitive methods, which Secretary Nagel says is under way, will be presented as soon as possible.

Regarding the request for a verdict, Manager Bronson says they feel that Secretary Nagel's criticism is unworthy; that the indictment mentioned in the letter to the President was referred to as a moral indictment, and that the verdict asked for is of similar character.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, April 5.—Flour, holiday.

Rye Flour—Holiday.

Corn Meal—Dull.

Rye and Barley—Quiet.

Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 red 1.05 7-8 elevator, export basis to arrive and 1.08 5-8 f.o.b. afloat. Futures closed 3-8 to 3-4c net higher. May 1.08 5-8; July 1.02 7-8.

Corn—Spot firm; exports 80 1-2 f.o.b. afloat. Futures nominal.

Oats—Spot dull, futures nominal.

Leather—Firm.

Pork, Beef, Lard, Petroleum and Molasses—Steady.

Cut Meats and Wool—Quiet.

Tallow and Rice—Firm.

Cotton Seed Oil—Holiday.

Sugar—Holiday.

Cotton, Coffee and Metal Exchanges closed.

Butter—Strong.

Cheese—Firm.

Eggs—Steady.

Potatoes—Firm and unchanged.

Cabbages—Firm; Florida new, crate 2.50 to 4.50.

Freights and Peanuts—Unchanged.

DRY GOODS MARKET

New York, April 5.—Fruit-of-the loom 4-4 bleached cottons were advanced 1-2 cent a yard to a basis of 8 1-2c. and other well-known brands are being advanced to the same level. Brown cottons are firmer.

Yarns remain steady, but in light demand. Woolens and worsteds are being advanced in primary and secondary markets.

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THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

April 6, 1912.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. yesterday.

Temperature at 8 A. M., 55 degrees; at 8 P. M., 62 degrees; maximum, 67 degrees; minimum, 50 degrees; mean, 58 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since 1st of month, to date, .05.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday, 14.2 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair Saturday and probably Sunday.

Port Calendar—Apr. 6.

Sun rises	5:54 A. M.
Sun sets	6:36 P. M.
Day's length	12 hrs. 42 min.

Tides.

	High water. A. M.	High water. P. M.	Low water. A. M.	Low water. P. M.
Wilmington	12:48	1:10	8:07	8:02
Southport	10:52	11:24	5:05	2:07

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

April 5, 1912.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature. Highest today.	Temperature. Lowest last night.	24-hour precipitation, 8 P. M.
Abilene	cloudy	78	56	.0
Asheville	clear	66	38	.0
Atlanta	clear	70	50	.0
Augusta	clear	72	48	.0
Birmingham	pt cldy	74	56	.0
Boston	clear	70	34	.06
Charleston	clear	68	54	.0
Charlotte	pt cldy	68	44	.0
Chicago	clear	74	52	.0
Galveston	cloudy	68	62	.0
Jacksonville	clear	72	58	.0
Memphis	cloudy	76	62	.0
Mobile	clear	72	54	.0
Montgomery	pt cldy	76	54	.0
New Orleans	pt cldy	76	56	.0
New York	cloudy	70	38	.01
Palestine	cloudy	76	56	.0
Pittsburg	clear	68	50	.0
Raleigh	pt cldy	70	44	.0
Savannah	clear	72	54	.0
Shreveport	cloudy	76	58	.0
St. Louis	clear	78	58	.0
Washington	pt cldy	78	44	.0

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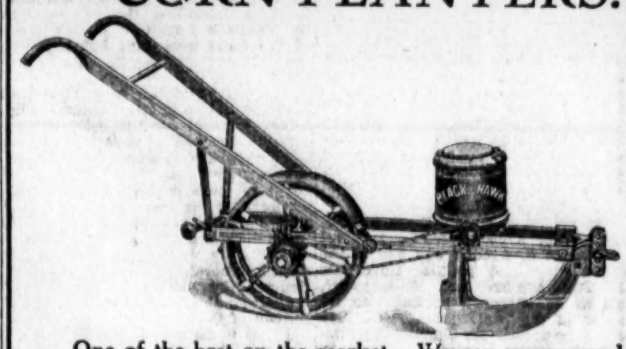

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On the going out of business of the Globe House Furniture Co., the largest manufacturers in High Point, we stepped to the front with the cash. We have nearly two solid car loads of their goods in Dressers, Wash Stands, Beds, Chiffonlers, Buffets and Sideboards, all quartered oak which we can sell at the price the factory formerly sold at.

Chairs, Rockers, Morris Chairs.

We recently bought and brought to the city one and a half solid car loads of the dropped patterns from Heywood Bros. & Wakefield Co., Baltimore. These are the largest manufacturers of chairs in the world. Every piece of their goods bears their mark, which is a guarantee of quality. These are to be sold at and below manufacturers' wholesale price.

Iron Beds.

Yes! From the Simmons Manufacturing Co., the largest makers of Iron Beds in America. The patterns are good, only dropped because they had too many patterns. Will be sold at and below the regular wholesale price at the factory.

Rugs and Art Squares.

Bright, nobby, attractive goods in Brussells, Velvets, Colonial and Wilton Velvets and Axminsters, floral and Orientals from the looms of Alex. Smith & Sons, not dropped because bad patterns, but only for a change. These to go for less than wholesale prices.

This proves what money and buying tact are worth to a business.

Wilmington Furniture Co.

REX GUANO DISTRIBUTOR.

Its new features for 1912 are a much larger hopper, and an agitator of improved design. Dou you want a perfect feed machine that will feed the same up hill as down hill, the same when your horse walks fast and slow, one that the feed will not change only when you change it, one that will distribute from 200 to 1,000 pounds per acre and spread it in a broad band eight inches wide, or narrow as you prefer, one that can be operated by any boy and will do nothing but perfect work? If so, REX is the machine you are looking for.

For prices and cuts write to the sole agents for North Carolina.

J. W. MURCHISON & CO.

Wholesale Hardware Dealers.

To Our Friends and Patrons:

Within a very short while we expect to have our Office Supply Department, which is now undergoing repairs, stocked with a complete line of office desks, chairs, tables, filing cabinets and other office furniture, wood and steel, and a complete line of second-hand and rebuilt typewriters. As soon as this is done announcement will be made and we will be pleased to have you call and inspect same.

We now have in stock a fine line of Globe-Wernicke Bookcases and other office furniture and are in a position to take care of your orders on short notice. While we have been seriously inconvenienced by the fire, it has been our aim to fill all orders as promptly as the circumstances would permit, and we desire to thank our friends for their patience and good will.

C. W. YATES & CO.

POCAHONTAS Steam COAL

Thacker Lump Coal. Wood, All Cuts. Lime, Cement, Plaster, Walrus Roofing, Shingles, Brick, Pipe, &c

Your orders Respectfully Solicited.

W. B. THORPE & CO.

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Wilmington Granite & Marble Works.

Mausoleums, Monuments, Headstones, Iron Fencing.

Out-of-town orders receive prompt attention. Write for catalogue and price list.

519 North Second Street, Between Red Cross and Union Station.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Office Phone 1974-J P. O. Box 277.

WHOLE STATE IS BOWED IN GRIEF

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town of Goldsboro with a brass band and other equipment for a big street parade before and after the speech, which it was confidently expected would be a powerful effort for Democratic principles and set an example for campaigning on a high plane in contesting with fellow Democrats for the Senatorship.

Tributes to Aycock.

Chief Justice Walter Clark said of ex-Governor Aycock today:

"Charles B. Aycock was one of the ablest and mtst popular Governors this State has ever had. As a lawyer, and as an advocate, he had no superior at the bar in this State. He was a great-hearted, big-brained, sympathetic, magnetic man. No man in the State had more personal friends. His record as the 'Educational Governor' will hand his fame down to posterity, for there is no surer remembrance than services to the people unselfishly rendered. He died as he lived—at his post of duty and in the service of his fellow man. He now belongs to history."

Secretary of State J. Bryan Grimes, who served as Secretary of State when ex-Governor Aycock was chief executive of the State, said of him today:

"Governor Aycock was the most lovable and magnetic man I ever knew. A close, friendly association with him for 10 years only intensified my regard for him. He was a brilliant and able man and easily the State's greatest orator. He was intensely loyal to his State and he loved North Carolina people with every throb of his generous, impulsive herat."

Hon. B. R. Lacy, State Treasurer, paid this personal tribute to the beloved dead statesman:

"I have rarely been so shocked as at the news of Governor Aycock's death. For four years we were closely associated, officially as well as personally. He was one of the most lovable men I have ever known. Pure, true and honest in every thought, a clean man, an honorable gentleman and a devoted friend. Tears will well up in many an eye and many a heart will be heavy as the news spreads through the State that this good man and great leader has passed. I loved him."

Monument to Aycock.

A local association was formed here tonight to promote the erection of a monument in Raleigh to Charles B. Aycock. The following officers were elected: G. C. Royall, president; Chas. Dewey, vice president; G. C. Kornegay, treasurer, and M. H. Allen, secretary. Committees were appointed to secure the co-operation of the people of the county and to ask them to join the association. They hope this will be the beginning of a State association. Those present tonight guaranteed $1,000 to the monument fund, and would do more, but wish to give the people of the whole State an opportunity to make an offering of love.

Remains Accompanied to Raleigh.

Birmingham, Ala., April 5.—The body of former Governor C. B. Aycock, of North Carolina, who dropped dead last night while delivering an address to the Alabama Educational Association, left today for Raleigh. It will arrive there tomorrow and the funeral is to be held Sunday. State Superintendent of Education Joyner of North Carolina and a delegation of the North Carolina colony here, will go with the body to Raleigh.

Campus Flag at Half Mast

(Special Star Telegram.)

Durham, N. C., April 5.—The big United States flag on the campus of Trinity College floated at half mast all day today as tribute of respect to ex-Governor Charles Brantley Aycock, who dropped dead in Birmingham, Ala. last night. The death of this man, North Carolina's greatest educational Governor, is deeply mourned by faculty and students alike and the news was a great shock to the entire college community this morning.

Movement Started in Raleigh.

Raleigh, N. C., April 5—A definite movement was launched tonight for erecting a suitable monument or statue to ex-Gov. Charles B. Aycock, the beloved "Educational Governor" of North Carolina, by popular subscription. Wayne, his home county, took the initiative in forming a big Aycock monument association and subscribing $1,000 toward the fund tonight. Raleigh citizens are adding subscriptions and will form an association.

A resolution calling on the newspapers of the State to open subscription lists was passed. Raleigh News and Observer opened here with $100 subscription.

ATTACKS NEWSPAPERS.

Heyburn Wants Congressional Record's Price Reduced.

Washington, April 5.—Senator Heyburn, of Idaho, today made a debate on the bill to recodify the printing laws, the occasion for an attack upon newspapers. The Senator was pressing an amendment, which, however, was not voted upon, to reduce the subscription price of the Congressional Record in an effort to popularize its circulation.

Senator Heyburn asserted that the modern newspaper printed only jests and sensations about Congress and added that if the people were compelled to depend on newspapers for their education the government could not long continue.

"If the Congressional Record should be suppressed," he cried, "Munchausen's record of travels would be mild in comparison with the newspaper accounts of the proceedings of Congress."

The Senator added that newspaper men who made use of courtesies extended by the Senate treated Congress as a joke. He felt confident that under his proposal of a reduced subscription price the Congressional Record would have a circulation of two million an edition.

Petersburg, Va., April 5.—John Furby, one of three negro convicts who, escaping a State road gang at Ettricks, a mile from here, killed Guard W. T. Belcher, with a blow over the head with a crowbar in January, was convicted at Chesterfield Court House and sentenced by Judge Southall today to death in the electric chair. William Price, another negro of the trio, is now on trial at Chesterfield. John Jones, the third, died two days after his capture, following a running fight with a posse at Farmville.

CONFERENCE HELD

Wickersham Confers About The Three Big Trusts

Washington, April 5.—Attorney General Wickersham today held conferences regarding the relations to the Sherman anti-trust law of three of the most important industries in the country—Harvester, Steel and Beef.

The negotiations between the government, and the International Harvester Company for a friendly dissolution has reached, it is said, a critical stage, where it is impossible to foretell the outcome. Counsel for the company today submitted to the government in writing certain propositions they had previously made orally. They discussed the corporation's two company dissolution plan with the Attorney General, Assistant Attorney General, Commissioner Herbert Knox Smith and Dr. Francis Walker, of the Bureau of Corporations. The government, it is intimated, would prefer a disintegration into a greater number of companies than two, although there has yet been no rejection of the two company idea. Mr. Wickersham talked over the government's plans in the steel trust suit with Jacob M. Dickinson and J. E. Colton, the special assistant attorney generals in charge of the case. It is expected that the taking of evidence will begin within a few weeks.

The situation regarding the meat packers who were recently acquitted at Chicago of charges of criminal violations of the Sherman law, was the subject of a long conference but has not yet been settled.

BASEBALL YESTERDAY.

At Asheville: King's College 2; Asheville High School 1.

At Norfolk 3; New York Americans (Yanigans) 5.

At Petersburg 7; Newark (International) 8.

At Greenville, S. C.: Furman University 6; College of Charleston 5.

At Danville 6; New York Nationals (Yanigans) 4.

At Richmond 8; Toronto (International) 13.

At Columbia 7; Spartanburg (Carolina) 5.

At Athens, Ga.: University of Georgia 6; Auburn (Alabama Techs.) 3.

At Baltimore 3; New York Nationals 13.

At Louisville 12; Detroit Americans 7.

At Mobile 5; Philadelphia Athletics 1.

At Columbus 3; Cincinnati Nationals 5.

At Wake Forest College 7; Randolph-Macon 4.

At Spartanburg: Wofford College 3; Presbyterian College of South Carolina 2.

At Atlanta, Ga.: Mercer 3; Georgia Techs 2.

At Rome, Ga.: Atlanta, Southern 8; Rome, Southeastern 4.

At Washington: Cornell 1; Yale 4.

At Nashville, Tenn., 15; Vanderbilt University 3.

At Indianapolis: Errors by the Indianapolis team gave today's game to the Chicago Nationals by the score of 5 to 3.

At Springfield, O.: The New York Americans first team defeated the local league club 5 to 1 today. Wolter, of the Highlanders, knocked the ball out of the park for a home run in the fifth.

IN RECEIVER'S HANDS.

Pere Marquette Railroad Not Allowed to Issue Bonds.

Detroit, Mich., April 5.—The passing of the Pere Marquette Railroad Company into receivers' hands today was not unexpected after the action of the State Railroad Commission yesterday in refusing to authorize a $4,000,000 bond issue required by the company to meet maturities due April 1st and other requirements. Governor Osborn personally appeared before the commission and opposed the issue. He urged that J. P. Morgan or other heavy stockholders come to the relief of the company.

The action was taken by Federal Judge Angell upon a petition filed by the American Brake Shoe & Foundry Company, of New Jersey. The railroad company operates in all about 2,320 miles of railroad. Of this 1,840 miles are in Michigan, the rest in Illinois, Ohio and Ontario, Can.

The bonds, mortgages and other liabilities of the company aggregate $69,689,000.

WASHINGTON AMERICANS LOST.

Boston Nationals Hit Recruit Pitchers and Won Seven to Five.

Washington, April 5.—Trying out two recruit pitchers proved the undoing of the Washington Americans and they were defeated today by the Boston Nationals 7 to 5. The score:

Washington	5	8	3
Boston	7	7	2

Batteries: Engle, Boehling and Ainsmith and Williams; Tyler and Gowdy.

PRINCETON 6; U. OF VA. 3.

Tigers Won Pretty Game by Ninth Inning Rally.

Charlottesville, Va., April 5.—In a ninth inning rally Princeton today defeated the University of Virginia at baseball 6 to 3. The score:

University of Virginia	3	9	0
Princeton	6	7	2

Batteries: Rixey and Finlay; Lear and Sterrett.

Milwaukee, Wis., April 5.—With Champ Clark sure of four of the Wisconsin delegates to the Democratic National Convention, with two delegates from the Ninth district in doubt and with Wilson certain of 20 delegates, complete figures will not be known until the official canvass. Returns in one county were sealed and forwarded to the State capitol, but the election officials there are not willing to discuss the result.

COMMERCIAL BANKING.

We invite accounts of merchants, firms, corporations and individuals and will extend to them such accommodations as are consistent with sound banking. With its large capital, its ample resources and its efficient organization, this bank is prepared to do all kinds of legitimate banking.

The Southern National Bank

ALWAYS A DEMOCRAT.

Wilson Says He Voted for Bryan and Whole Ticket.

Springfield, Ill., April 5.—Governor Woodrow Wilson, of New Jersey, held a campaign meeting in Springfield at the Arsenal this afternoon. Governor Wilson visited the old Lincoln homestead in Springfield and the tomb of Lincoln at Oak Ridge cemetery. He placed a cluster of American beauty roses upon the sarcophagus and stood for some moments with bared head.

Governor Deneen, who is recuperating from an illness of several days, sent a message of regret to Governor Wilson at being unable to extend official courtesies in person.

In his address at the Arsenal Governor Wilson paid tribute to Lincoln and expressed faith in the ability of the American people to govern themselves.

The people of Illinois are bent on having a preferential Presidential primary law. He declared that "personally conducted" government by self-appointed trustees was past. He predicted that the Chicago and Baltimore conventions of this year would be the last of their kind; that henceforth the people of all States would have a more direct voice in the nomination of their Presidential candidates.

Governor Wilson said that charges by Senator Stone, that he had not voted for Bryan in 1900 and that he did not vote at all in 1908, were falsehoods, sworn to by gentlemen who are willing to swear to anything." He said he voted the whole Democratic ticket in both those years. "I have never voted anything but the Democratic ticket," he said.

TWO KILLED, ONE WOUNDED.

Farmer Does Shooting and Telephones for Officer.

Granbury, Texas, April 5.—Dr. J. B. Thilley and Luther Garrell were instantly killed and T. M. Wilson badly wounded at Hill City near here today. Their assailant was Mack Parker, a young farmer, who has telephoned for Granbury officers to come and arrest him. The cause of the shooting is unknown here.

Dr. Thilley was shot dead as he stood in his drug store. Wilson, whose wounds may not prove fatal, was fired upon as he stood at a telephone. Garrel was killed in a field on his farm just outside of Hill City.

ATHLETICS WON.

Defeated Philadelphia Nationals Fourteen to Nothing.

Philadelphia, April 5.—The world's champions shut out the Philadelphia Nationals here today, the fourth game of the Spring series. The score was 14 to 0. Each team has now won two games. The Nationals got but one hit, a single by Knabe, off Houck, who pitched five innings. The Americans batted Schultz and Rasmussen hard.

Milwaukee, Wis., April 5.—The 1912 Vanderbilt races will be held in Milwaukee, according to a telegram received tonight from W. K. Vanderbilt, if this city offers sufficient policing for the course proposed for the races. The local automobile association will meet tomorrow to make certain that the demands of the race promoters for proper protection of the course can be met, and will accept the races tomorrow. The date is not set, but will be between August 15 and October 15.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Academy—Mme. Mieler-Narodny.
Wilmington Iron Works—Experience.
Orient Lodge—Emergent Communication.
Atlantic Coast Line—Change in Schedule.

Business Locals.

Strayed—Terrier.
Wanted—Position.
For Rent—Furnished Room.
Wanted—Young White Man.
James Owen Reilly—For Rent.
Hopkins Furniture Co.—Wanted.
Palace Market—Dressed Chickens.
E. Warren & Son—Special Today.
W. P. Oldham—Cabbage and Oranges.
E. Warren & Son—Home Made Candies.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Advertisements inserted under this head one cent per word for each insertion, but no advertisement taken for less than 25c. Additional words, more than 25, one cent per word. Unless the advertiser has a regular account, all advertisements under this head are STRICTLY CASH IN ADVANCE, the amounts being too small to warrant a charge. The Star will send without charge, A. D. T. (Western Union) Messenger to any address in the city for advertisements in this department upon request by 'Phone to No. 51. A. D. T. Messenger will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Company, or for notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charge for the telegrams, but a small charge for strictly A. D. T. calls or telephone subscribers may at any time telephone their telegrams, bills rendered to suit the sender daily, weekly or monthly. For this service, call Western Union, 'Phone No. 2. But for advertisements, always call the Star office, No. 51. Copy for Business Locals cannot be taken over the telephone—but upon request Messenger will be dispatched to any part of the city for them.

STAR HAMS—18c. pound; F. F. V. hams, 20c. pound; boneless breakfast bacon, 20c. pound; Baltimore cake, 50c. each. 'Phone 853, Bornemann's. ap6-1t*

BUTTERINE, 25c pound; table butterine, 30c. pound. Fresh pork sausage, 15c. pound; 2 pkg. Shredded Wheat, 25c.; 3 pkg. Jello, 25c. 'Phone 853, C. H. Bornemann, 7th and Orange streets. ap6-1t*

EASTER NOVELTIES and candies. Huyler's and Park & Tilford's. Most beautiful line of fancy candy for Easter. Rabbits, eggs, baskets, etc. See our window before you buy. 'Phone ice cream orders early. Strawberry, chocolate and vanilla. Plummer, Jr. ap6-1t*

MANUFACTURING SITES for sale, located near city; water and rail transportation; full information upon request. P. Q. Moore. ap6-3t

BUILDING LOTS on Castle street, near Third, for sale. This is an opportunity to secure a nice lot and home. Terms to suit purchaser. P. Q. Moore. ap6-3t

ST. AGNES' GUILD will hold its annual egg hunt in St. James' church yard Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. ap6-2t

FOR EASTER—One of our nice Baltimore cakes will complete your dinner. We have them in raisin, citron, marble, walnut and plain; only 50c. 'Phone 853, Bornemann's. ap6-1t*

STRAYED OR STOLEN—Airedale terrier named "McGregor." Reward, if returned to 521 Dock, or Room 7 Masonic Temple, or for information leading to recovery. ap6-1t*

WANTED at once, Collector and Salesman. One that has had experience preferred. Hopkins Furniture Co., 18 So. Front street. ap6-1t

FOR RENT—Corner Eighth and Dock streets, No. 710. In good repair. James Owen Reilly, Insurance and Real Estate. ap6-tf

WANTED—By young white woman, a situation to do general housework. Address Box 181, City. ap6-2t*

CABBAGE AND ORANGES — Carload fresh Southern cabbage, $1.00 to $1.50 per crate. Oranges, sweet and juicy, 20 to 30c. dozen. Last cheap sale on oranges. W. P. Oldham. ap6-1t*

NO EXPERIENCE necessary to make $5 to $25 daily selling our specialty. Particulars free. Write today. Southern Specialty Co., Box 74, Marion, S. C. ap6-sa3t*

WANTED—Position as clerk in dry goods or grocery store, by young man of several years experience. Good references. Address Clerk, care Star. ap3-3t*

TODAY ONLY and so long as they last. Delicious chocolate candies, 25c. per pound. All kinds. E. Warren & Son, 'Phone 376. ap6-1t

DELICIOUS home-made candies, 35c. or 3 pounds for one dollar. Try our delicious nut bar, all kinds. Delicious oranges, apples and bananas. E. Warren & Son. 'Phone 376. ap6-1t

DRESSED CHICKENS and Turkeys today. We have the goods. Come in and see our supply for Easter. It is great. Very best of beef, veal and lambs. Celery, lettuce, cranberries. See us before you purchase for Sunday. Palace Market; 'phone 72. ap6-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room in excellent neighborhood. Light, airy and all modern conveniences. Private family. 216 North 5th street. 'Phone 1714-J. ap6-1t*

LOST—Black card case containing A. C. L. annual pass and two union cards. Finder will please return to the undersigned and greatly oblige. H. S. Robinson, Jacksonville, N. C. ap5-2t*

POTTED PLANTS for Easter—Lilies valley, tulips, primroses, heliotropes, hyacinths, daffodils, spirea genista; assorted ferns; also everything in cut flower line. Will Rehder. ap5-2t

MAIL ORDER CATALOGUE—Write for our new illustrated catalogue of Ranges, Bicycles, Hardware, Groceries, Dry Goods, Etc. Bornemann's, "The Store That Sells Everything," Wilmington, N. C. ap4-1mo

WANTED — White boys, with wheels. Western Union Telegraph Co. ap4-6t*

FOR RENT—A nice 5-room cottage with about two acres of land, situated on Castle Hayne road, within quarter of mile of city. P. Q. Moore. ap4-6t

WANTED—Two good horses at once. Hopkins Furnitnre Co., 19 South Front street. ap4-6t

SWAT THE FLY! Kill the individual now, rather than the swarm later. Health. mh30-tu,th,sa-tomy1

BARGAINS in a fine line of trunks, suit cases and hand bags. Also all kinds of unredeemed pledges. Save money and see Uncle Charles, 16 S. Front street. ja3-tf

SECOND HAND square piano for sale in good order. Cheap to cash purchaser. Address "Piano," care Star Office. se15-tf

LOST—Diamond locket, with initials "J. G." Reward, if returned to owner, care Star office. mh24-tf

UNEQUALLED opportunities for learning the automobile business and getting positions afterwards are offered by the Southern Automobile College, Oak Ridge, N. C. Write for special rates. mh29-13t*

EASTER SPECIALS—Swift's Premium hams, 17 1-2c. lb.; Jersey milk, 3 cans for 25c. Best butter, 35c. 'Phone 1938. L. T. New. ap2-tf

NEW SERIES of the Hanover Building and Loan Association will open Saturday, April 6th, limited to 600 shares; books are now open at the office of Wilder & Metts, 207 Princess street. John J. Fowler, President; J. W. Yates, V.-President; H. F. Wilder, Sec'y and Treas. mh24-tf

UPHOLSTERING mattresses, cushions, slip covers, chair caning and repairs to furniture. Good workmanship at moderate prices. Inquire at Cretau's Work Shop, 224 South Front Street. ap3-6t*

LOOK, LOOK, LOOK!—Our line is the very best. Nice young spring lamb and lamb livers for Easter; extra good beef, veal and pork; N. C. hams, the finest of season, all sizes. All kinds of fruits and vegetables. Palace Market; 'phone 72. ap3-tf

NOTICE—Grapes, malaga grapes for pension week and for Easter, 10c. pound. All fruits and candies at reasonable prices. Crystal Palace Confectionery, 115 Market street. ap3-4t

FOR SALE—Three mules, one Columbus top buggy, and one set harness. Apply to Hilton Lumber Co.; 'phone 321. ap3-2t

WHEN IN NEED of mechanics, machinists or laborers of any kind, call us up, and we will publish your needs in the Contractors' Builders' and Mechanics' Directory, which will be read by thousands of people in all of the principal towns and cities of North Carolina. Contractors', Builders' and Mechanics' Directory Publishing Co., 16 Princess st.; 'phone 860. ap2-6t*

HANOVER BUILDING AND LOAN Association will open its 15th SERIES SATURDAY, APRIL 6th, limited to 600 shares. Every Man, Woman and Child is invited to come in during the week and take stock with us. No better way to begin the saving habit, and deposits systematically made surprise you in their rapid growth. Books now open at the Real Estate office of Wilder & Metts. H. F. Wilder, Sec'y and Treas. mh31-tf

FOR SALE—Several thousand juniper shingles; also several hundred fence posts, at Southern Exchange Co.'s pole yards, foot of Harnett street. mh1-tf

ON NEXT SATURDAY, April 6th, the People's Building and Loan Association opens its 19th series of stock. The best way to save or buy a home is thru some building and loan association, and there is none better than the People's. Don't neglect the opportunity. 25c. a share, payable weekly. Wm. E. Perdew, Pres.; D. R. Foster, Sec. and Treas. Office, 112 Princess. mh31-6t

Change In Schedule

ATLANTIC COAST LINE RAILROAD TRAINS.

Wilmington, N. C.

Effective 12:01 A. M. Monday, April 8th, there will be the following changes in arrivals and departures:

Train No. 50 from Chadbourn, Florence and South will arrive at 12:30 A. M.

Train No. 62 for Newbern will leave at 4:35 P. M.

Train No. 63 from Newbern will arrive at 12:55 P. M.

Train No. 65 from Newbern will arrive at 6:25 P. M.

T. C. WHITE,
General Passenger Agent.

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the absence of which so mars your appearance, can be easily replaced with one that will match its mates perfectly.

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make it a very easy matter to replace one or more missing teeth without the use of a plate.

IF YOUR TEETH NEED ATTENTION

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Experience is bought, so is the fuel for your boilers. We are willing you should profit by our experience in the up-to-date methods of savings in your coal bills. We sell and erect the most up-to-date boilers, engines, steam separators, traps, heaters, regulating valves, etc. We carry boilers, engines, pumps and trimmings in stock.

We employ 40 expert mechanics and are prepared to serve all steam users.

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Prices 50, 75 cents and $1. Seats on sale at Plummer's Monday.

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NOTICE.

I have this day sold out my interest in the firm of Roger Moore's Sons & Co., to Roger Moore and F. R. King, who will continue said business under the same firm name. All debts and liabilities of said firm are assumed and will be paid by the said Roger Moore and F. R. King, and all debts due and owing said firm will be payable to said Moore and King.

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ORIENT LODGE, NO. 395, A., F. & A. M.

An emergent communication will be held Saturday evening, April 6th, at 8 o'clock, for work in the Master's Degree.

A full and prompt attendance of the members is urged. Visiting brethren will be cordially welcomed.

By order of the W. M.

C. C. BROWN, Secretary.

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STATEMENT CONDITION

American National Bank

OF WILMINGTON, N. C.,

At the Close of Business, February 20th, 1912.

RESOURCES:		LIABILITIES:	
Loans and Discounts	$1,676,349.99	Capital	$ 250,000.00
Overdrafts	2,119.42	Surplus and Profits	46,848.51
U. S. Bonds and Premiums	254,027.51	Dividends Unpaid	192.00
Bond Securities	19,653.32	Circulation	250,000.00
Bank Building, Fixtures, Vault, Etc	39,564.61	Paper Resold	183,421.90
Cash and Due from Banks and U. S. Treasury	465,263.83	Deposits	1,117,316.05
Total	$1,857,778.46	Total	$1,857,778.46

BEGAN BUSINESS 1908 WITH CAPITAL OF $50,000.00.

W. B. COOPER, President. THOS. E. COOPER, Cashier.
GEO. O. GAYLORD, Vice-President. W. H. SMITH, Assistant Cashier.

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ACCOUNTS OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN

Women's accounts are kept confidential and held subject to their own order. Parents who desire to open accounts in the name of children, subject to order of parents, may do so. Call at bank or let our representative bring you one of our Home Savings Banks.

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Make your Child's heart glad with either a pair of our White Buck Shoes or a pair of Seven-Strap Patent Sandals. White Buck, all sizes from No. 6, Child's, to No. 6 Large, Misses. Seven-Strap Patent Sandals, Dull Top, Patent Collar; Sizes, No. 8 1-2, Child's, to No. 4 1-2, Large, Misses.'

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172 Bbls. B. H. Flour, in bags.
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589 Bags C. S. Meal.
360 Bags Muriate Potash.
111 Bags Sulphate Potash.
149 Bags Fish Scrap.
100 Tons Kainit.

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Two car loads Seed Irish Potatoes and Ohio Onion Sets just received.

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